

Preventive dentistry

Revision lesson

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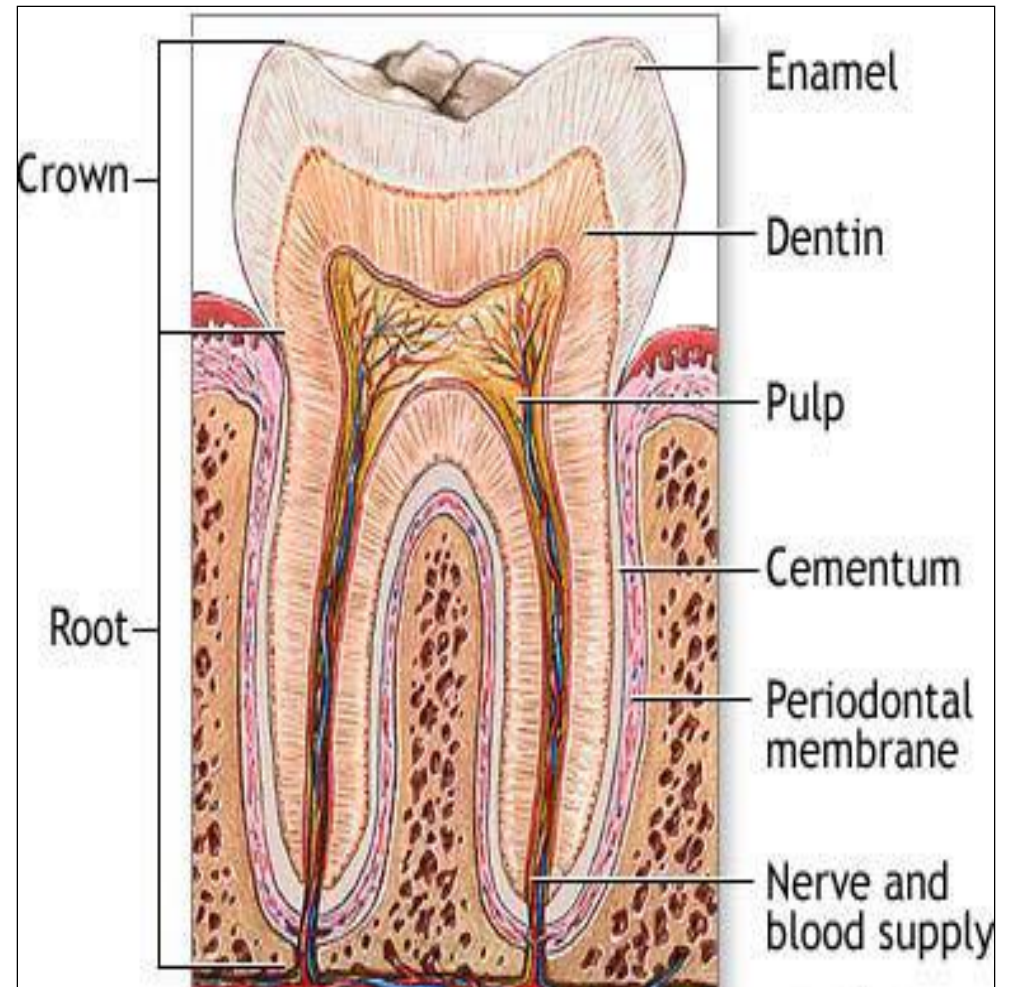
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Periodontal tissue

- Gingiva
- Periodontal membrane with periodontal ligaments (fibers)
- Root cementum
- Alveolar bone (tooth socket)



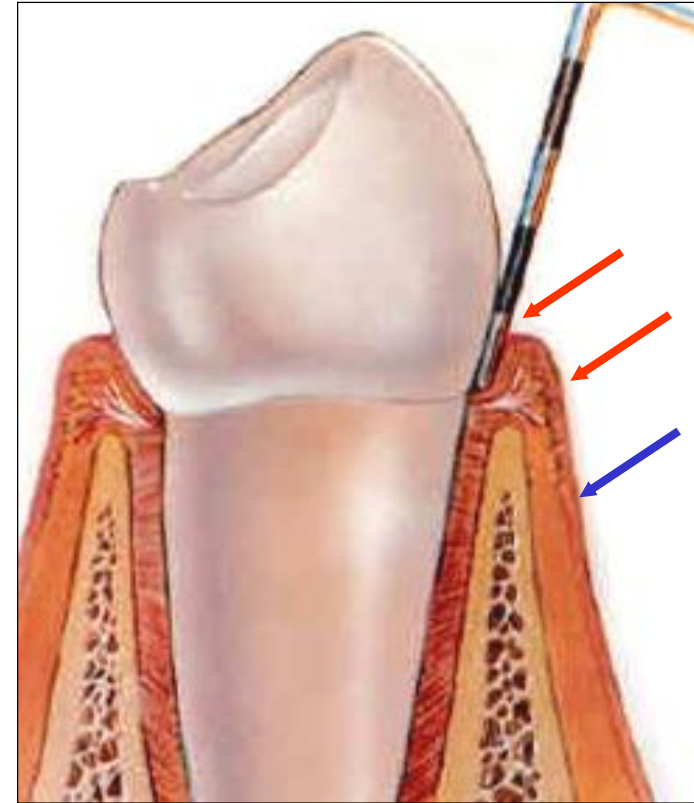
- **GINGIVA**

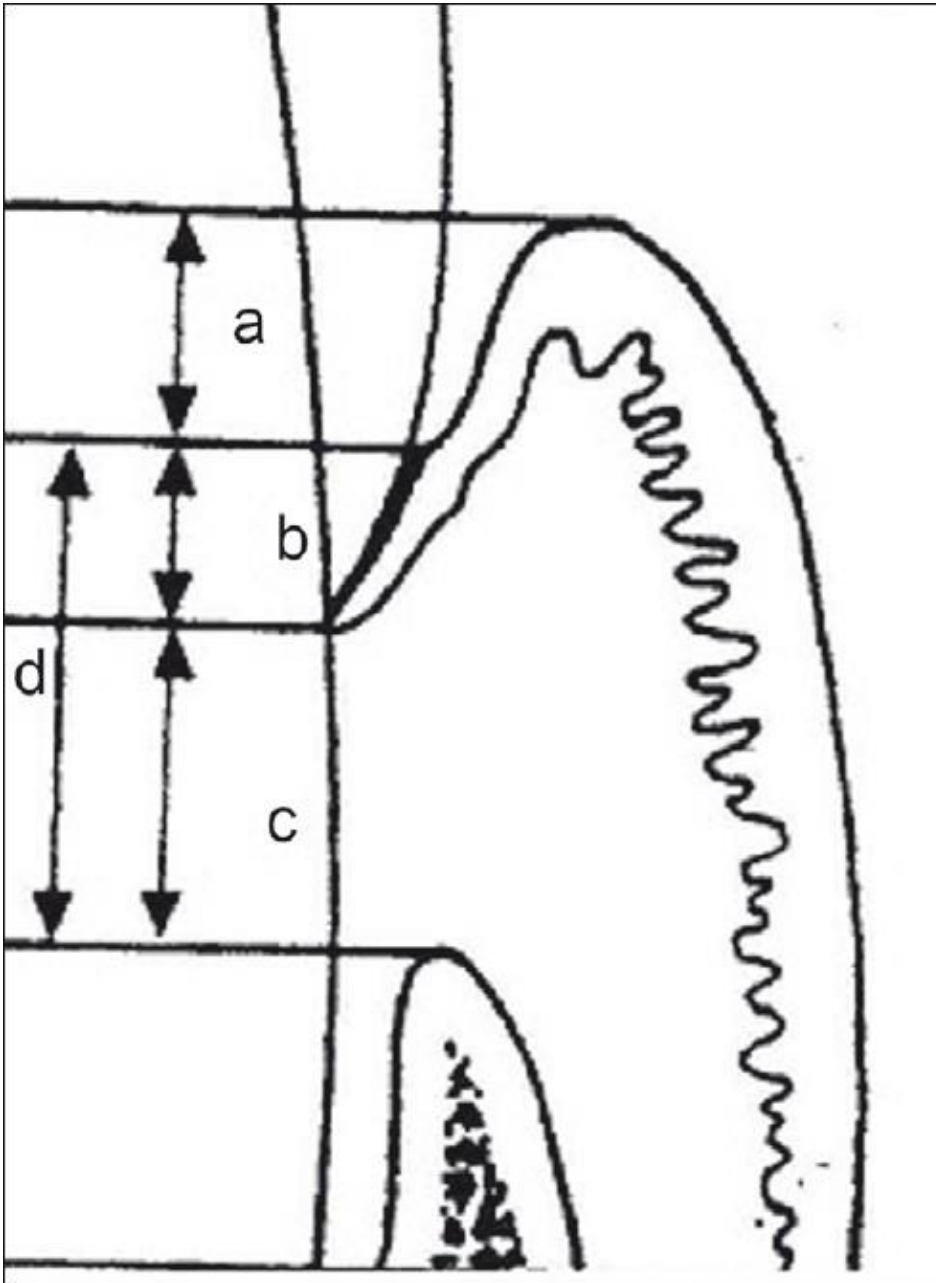
- is one portion of the oral mucosa
- covers limbal part of the alveol

- **Free gingiva**

forms a rim around a tooth neck

- Sulcus gingivalis – gingival fluid
- Dentogingival junction
- Interdental papilla – fills the interdental space
- **Attached gingiva** - to the subgingival structures, mucogingival line
- **Plexus gingivalis**





Biological width

- $b+c / d$
- 3 mm

a - sulcus gingivalis

b - junctional epithelium

c – connective tissue attachment
(supraalveolar fibers)

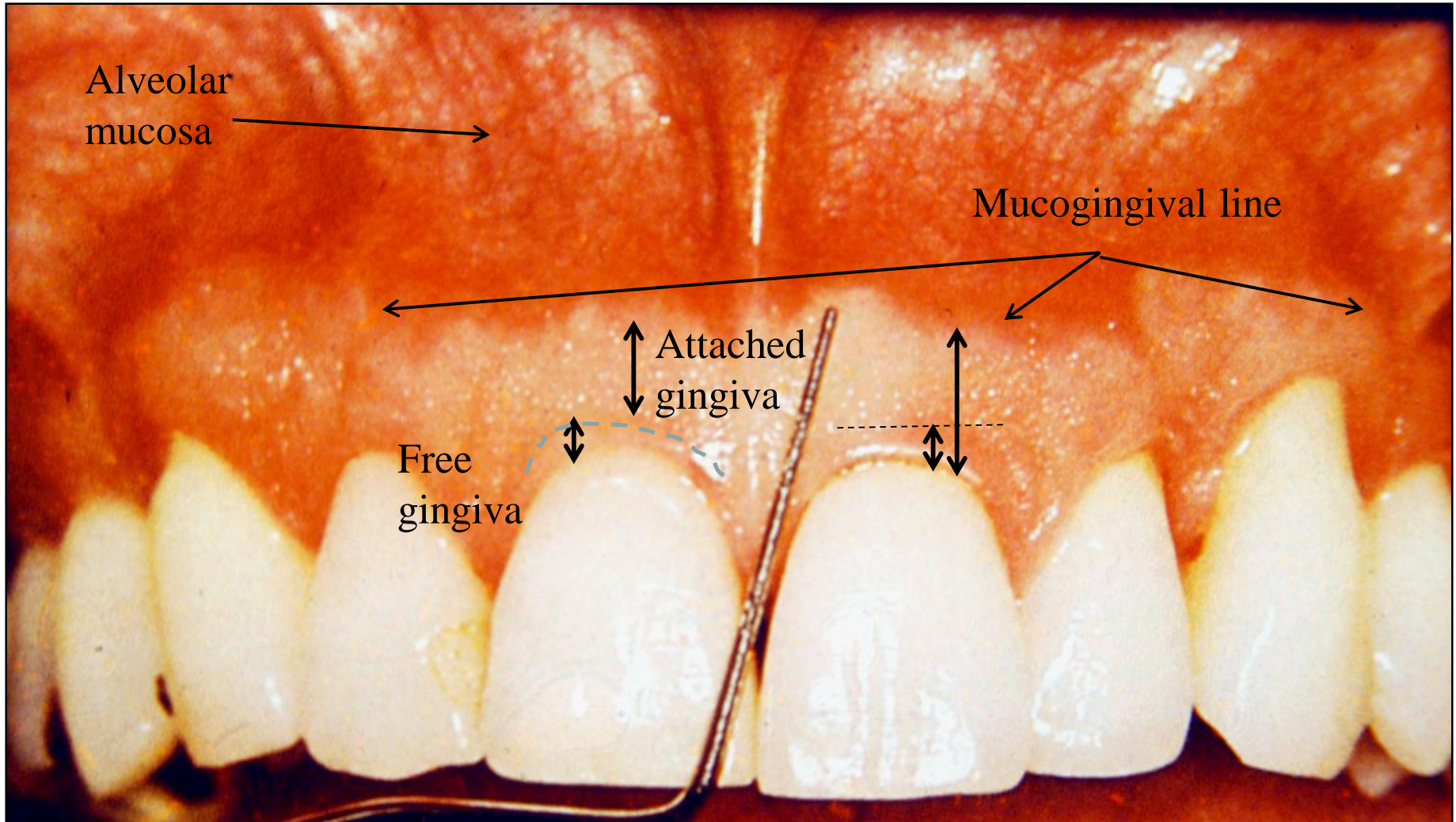
Healthy gingiva

- white/pink color
- stiff consistency
- stippling
- relatively firm
- no bleeding

„Stippelung“ der Gingiva

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It is needed to protect the neck of the tooth

1 - sufficient **width of the attached gingiva** (minimum 1-2 mm)

2 - strong (thick) or moderate gingival **thickness**

- Gingival thickness – strong, moderate, thin





Shallow lower vestibulum
(insufficient width of
attached gingiva)



Thin gingival phenotype,
gingival recession in tooth 41
- consequence of piercing

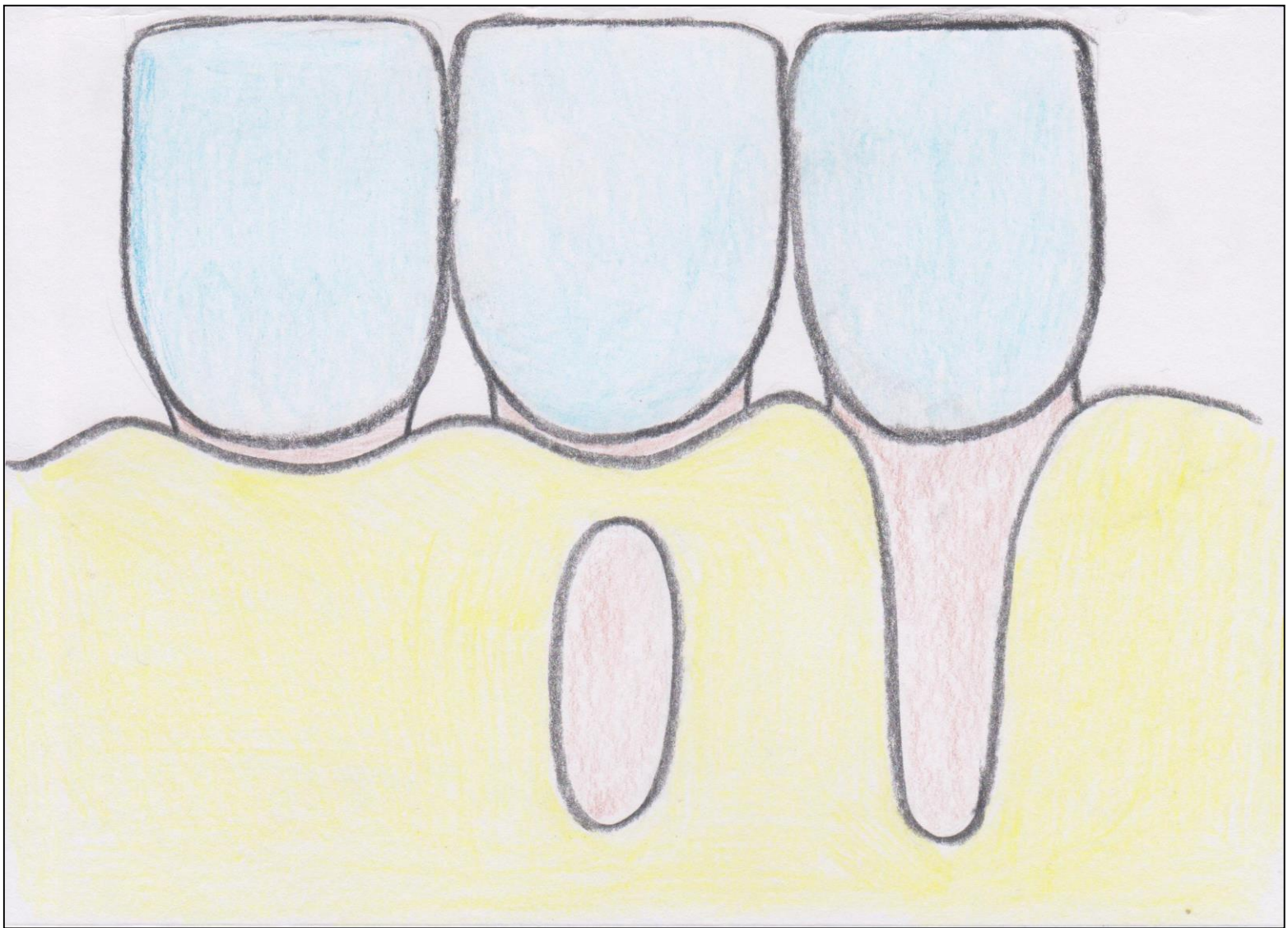
a



b



Tooth
position in
the alveolus:
a - the best
b - thin
vestibular
lamella
b - bone
fenestration/
dehiscence
vestibularly



Vestibular lamina
is intact

Fenestration of
Vestibular lamina

Dehiscence of
Vestibular lamina

Physiological



Gingival



Papillary

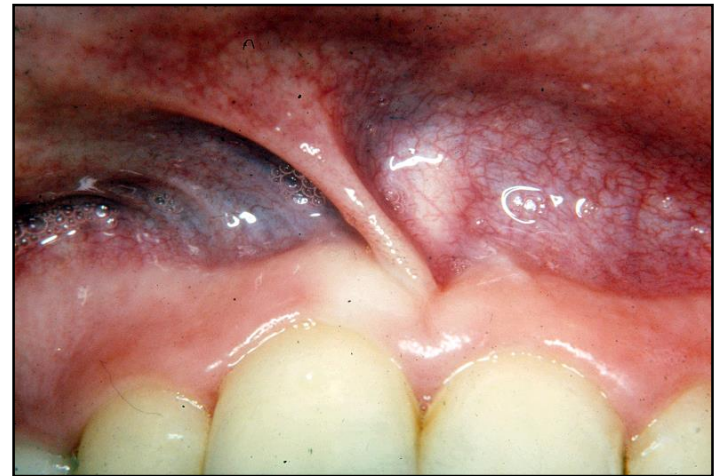


Passing through the papilla



"High frenulum attachment"

- pulling
- papillary **anemization** under pressure on the frenulum



- **movement** of the papilla and marginal gingiva under pressure on the frenulum

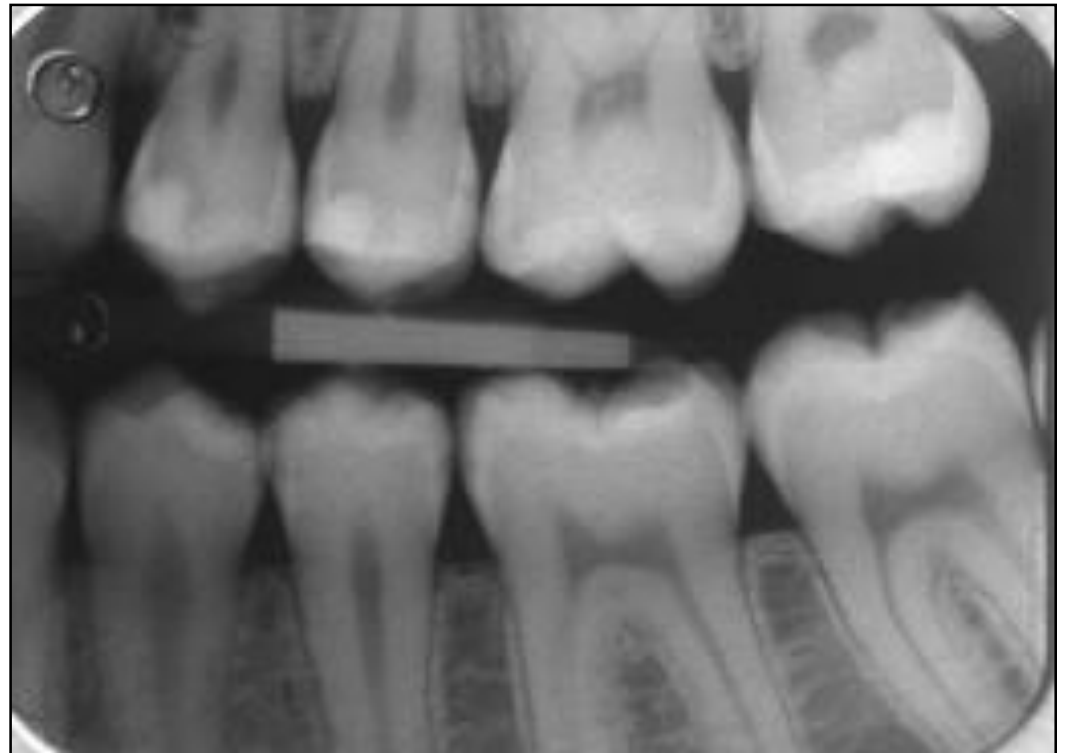


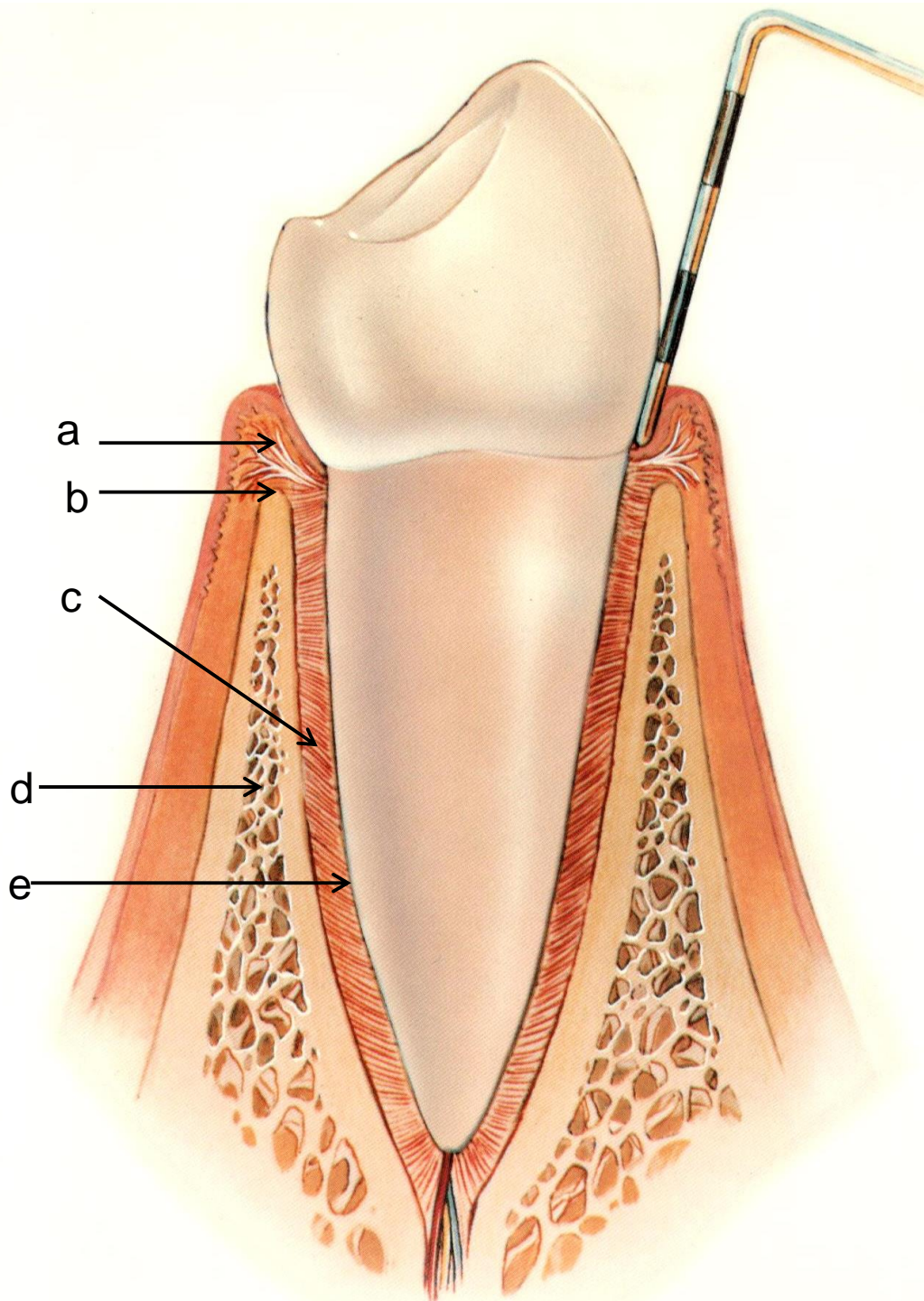
What type of frenulum is this?



Radiologically healthy periodontium

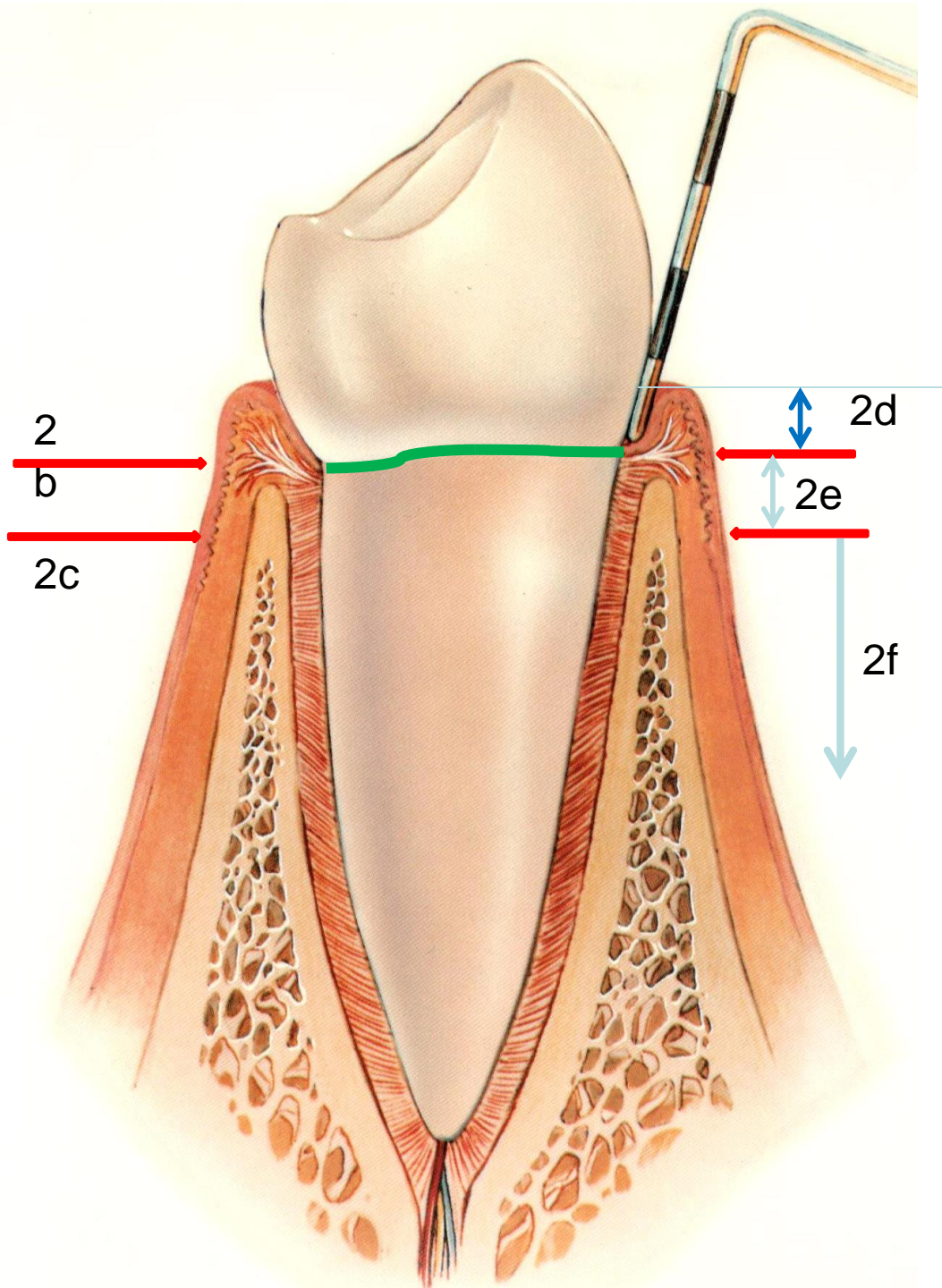
- lamina dura is present
- distance CEJ - margin of alveolar bone 1-2 mm





List the anatomical structures that are part of the periodontal tissue:

- 1a
- 1b
- 1c
- 1d
- 1e

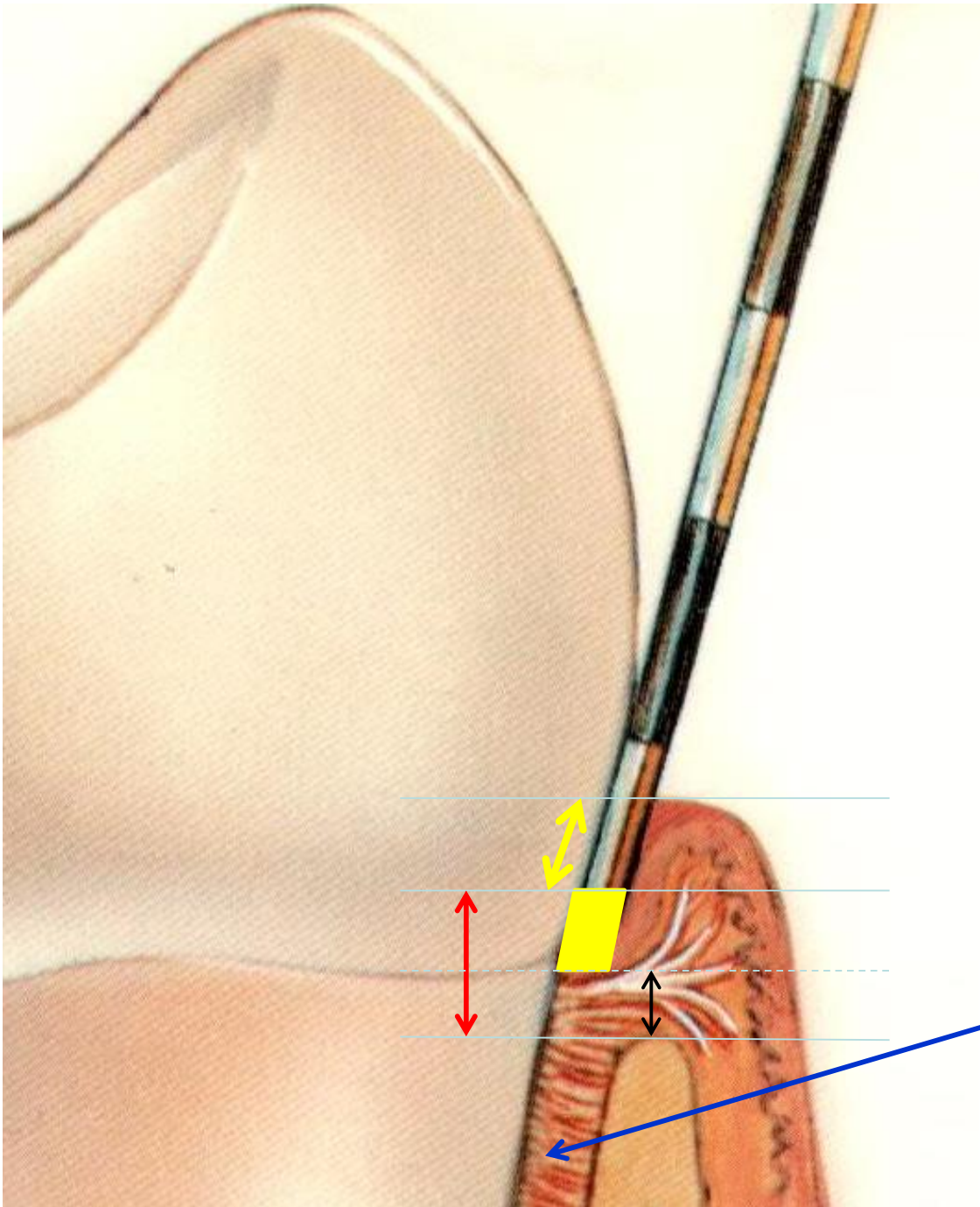


2 - List the anatomical structures within the range:

2a - green line

2b, c - red lines, there are particularly visible when viewed from the vestibulum

2d, e, f - structures within the blue arrows



List the anatomical structures within the range:

3a - yellow arrow

3b - yellow field

3c - red arrow

3d - black arrow

3e - blue arrow

Materia alba vs. DENTAL microbial PLAQUE



Materia alba

- Collection of debris (not biofilm !)
- A white cheeselike accumulation of **food debris, microorganisms, desquamated epithelial cells, and blood cells** deposited around the teeth at the gumline



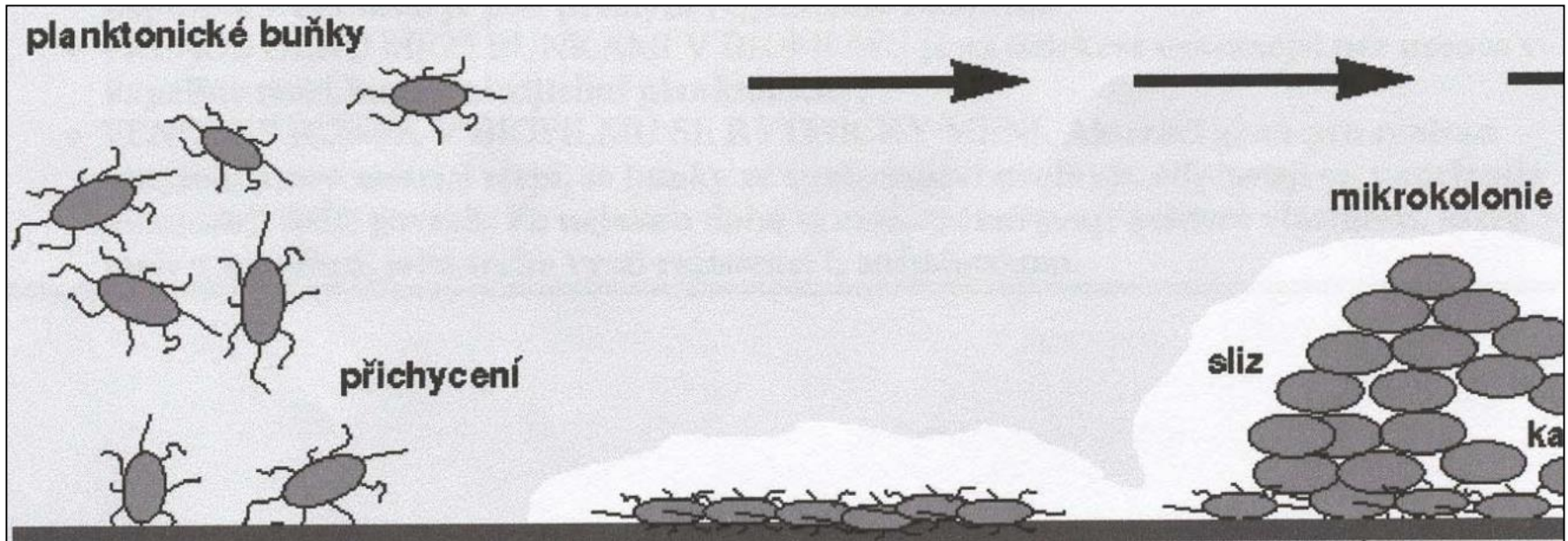
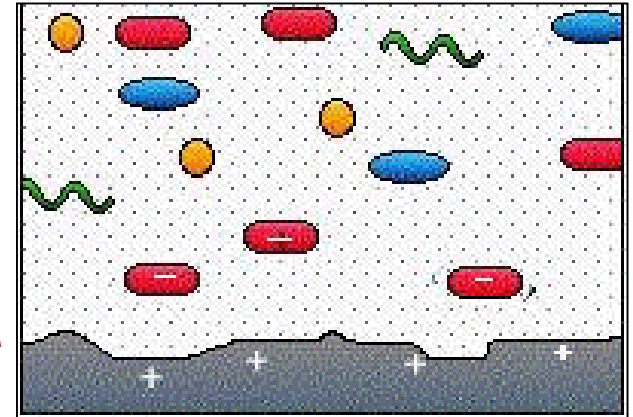
DENTAL microbial PLAQUE

- Composed of **bacteria** in a **matrix**
- **Microorganisms** (75 %) and their products
- **Matrix** (25%)
 - **bacterial** (extracellular polysaccharids) and **salivary origin** (salivary glycoproteins and mucopolysaccharids)
 - **calcium, phosphates** (mineralization of plaque)

- **DENTAL microbial PLAQUE**
 - microbial community
 - coexistence of different populations in the biofilm
 - **bacteria communicate in different ways** (coaggregation, adherence, provide nutrients, exchange of genetic material)
 - this symbiosis gives **new features and greatly increases the resistance** of dental plaque
 - can be removed by mechanical means only

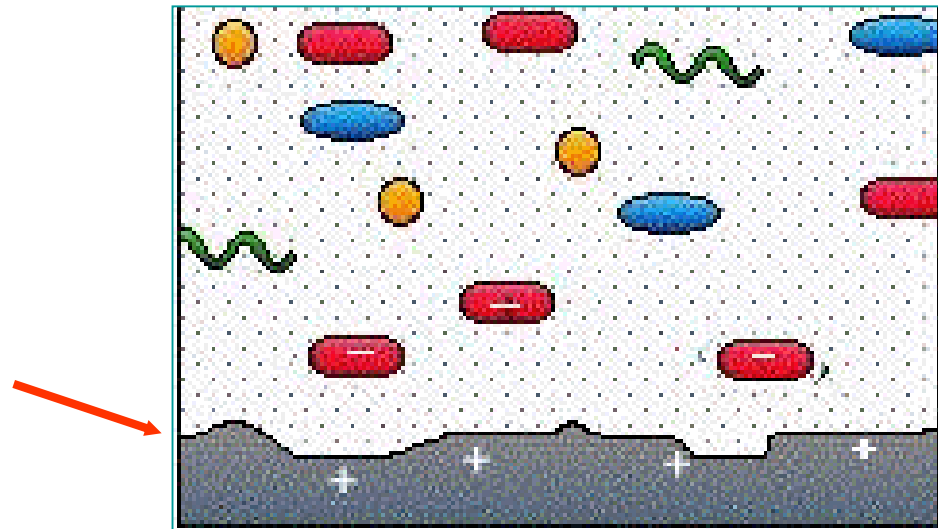
Plaque Formation

- Acquired Pellicle Formation
- Primarily Bacterial Colonization
- Growth of Plaque (sec. colonization)
- Maturation of Plaque



1/ Plaque Formation

- **Acquired Pellicle Formation**
 - minutes, 1-2 microns thick
 - amorphous film from **salivary glycoproteins**
 - increases the efficiency of bacterial adhesion



2/ Plaque Formation

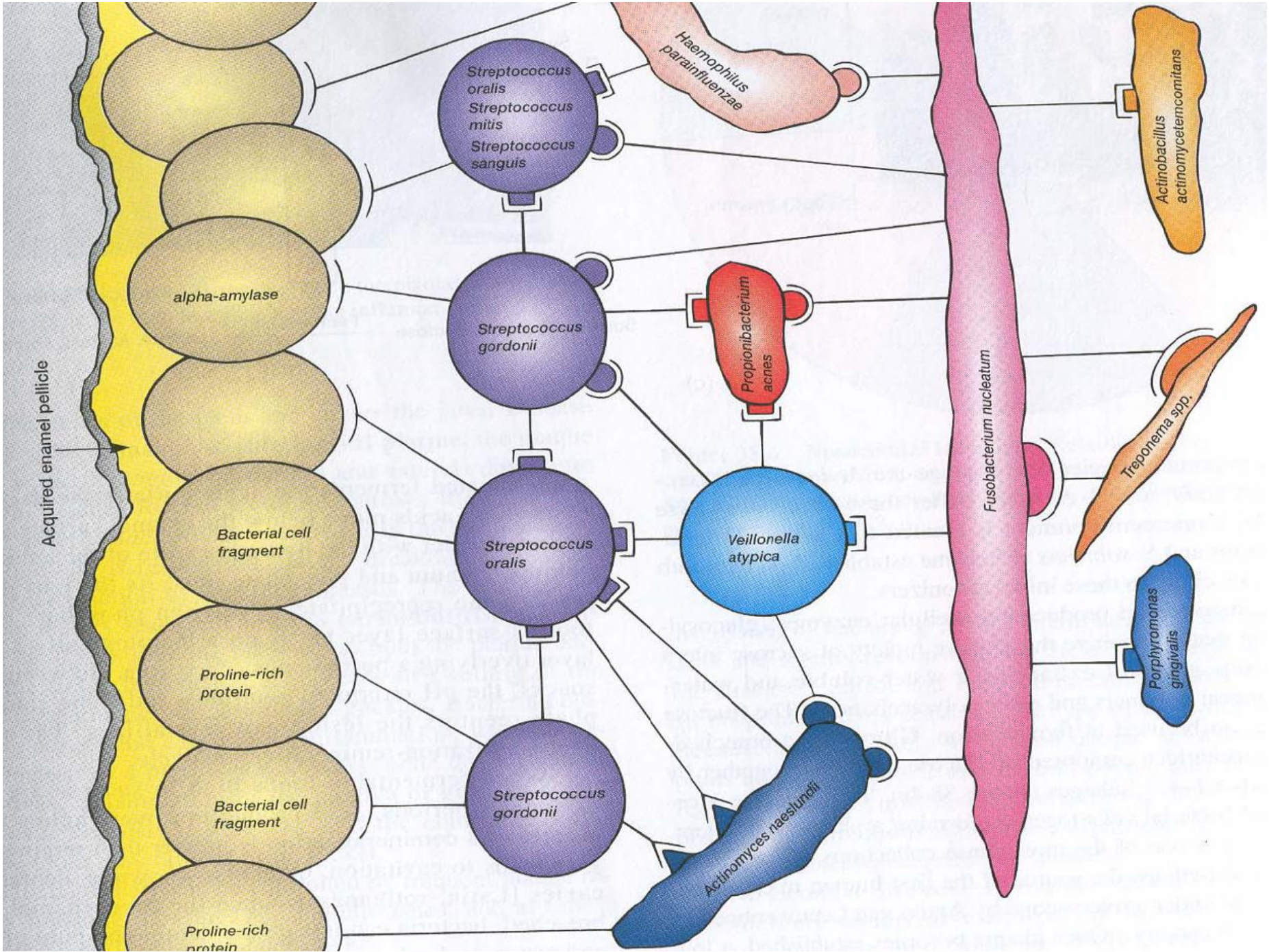
- **Primarily Bacterial Colonization**
 - bacterial **adhesion by single microorganisms**
 - extracellular polymeric substances and fimbriae, enable them to attach rapidly upon contact
 - become established within 24 hours
 - **G+ aerobs**, cocci (*Streptococcus sanguis*), G+ rods, G+ fillaments (*Actinomyces sp.*)
 - **immature plaque** - less adherent

3/ Plaque Formation

- **Growth of Plaque** in next few days
- bacterial mass increases in quantity due to adhesion of **new bacteria** (surface receptors on G+ cocci and rods allow adherence of G- (*Fusobacterium nucleatum*) and synthesis of **extracellular polymers**)
- multiplication of adhering bacteria and growth of extracellular matrix
- increasing of thickness - diffusion is more difficult - poor diffusion of oxygen - **anaerobic conditions**
- G- cocci, G+ G- rods and filaments (*fusobacteria*), aerobs and anaerobs

4/ Plaque Formation

- **Maturation of Plaque**
 - formation of more **complex and mature biofilm**
 - stable bacterial biofilm
 - **different morphotypes** - cocci, motile rods, spirochetes (filamentous organisms predominate)
multiplication of bacteria, new bacterial species
 - **mature plaque** - very pathogenic



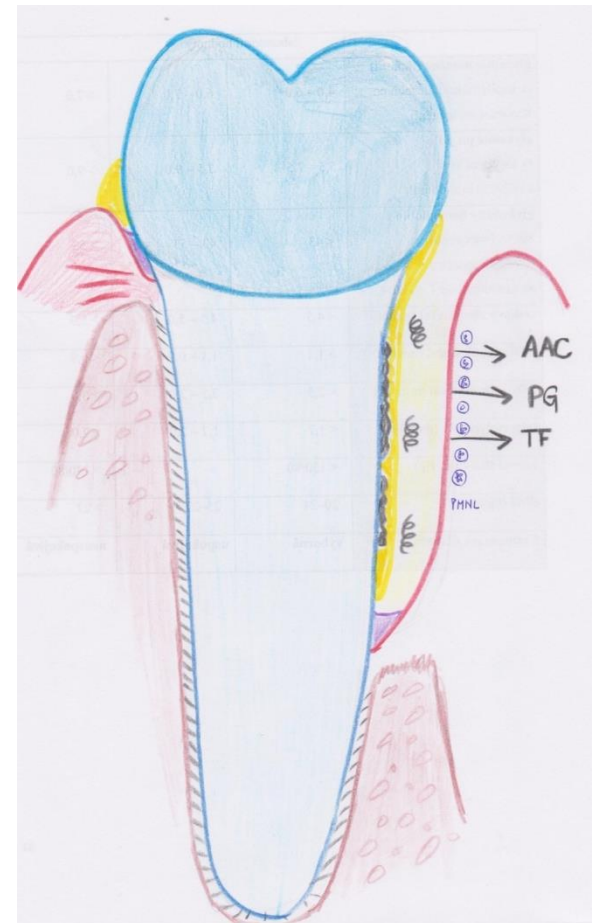
Perio pathogens

- **Aggregatibacter (Actinobacillus) actinomycetemcomitans AAC**
- **Porphyromonas gingivalis**
- **Tannerella forsythia**
- **Treponema denticola**
- **Eikenella corrodens**
- **Fusobacterium nucleatum**
- **Prevotella intermedia**



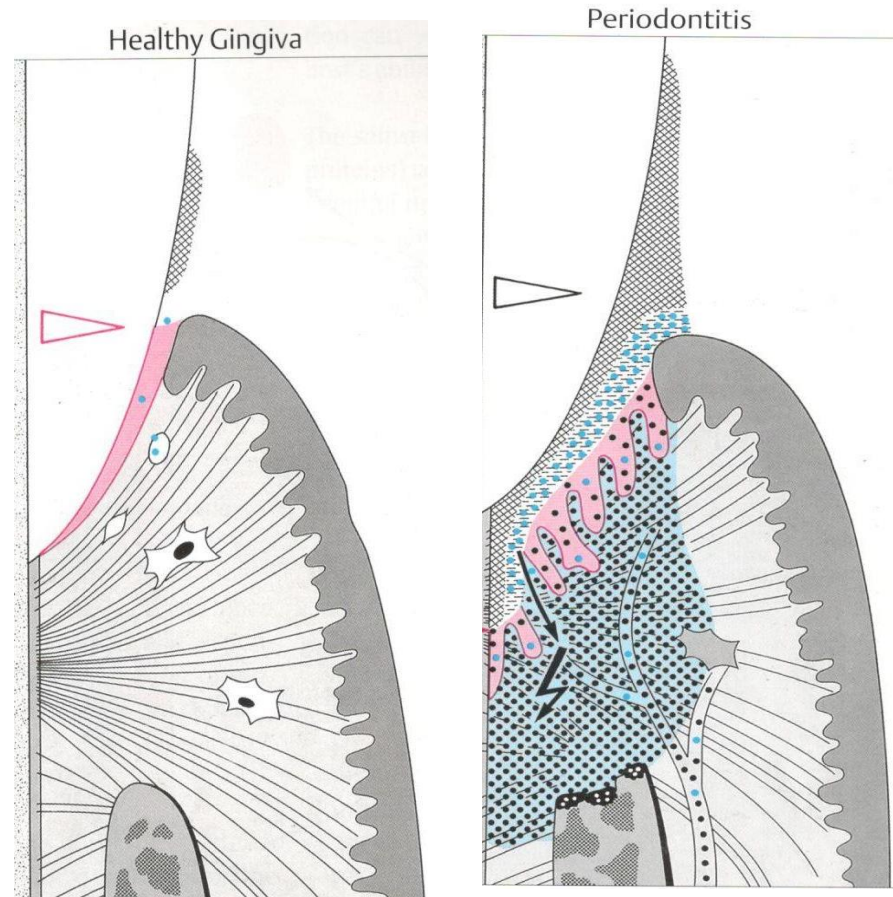
Pathogenicity of plaque – soft tissue

- Bacteria in DP produce various pathological substances (direct / indirect effect)
- Direct effect
 - **enzymes** (proteolytic enzymes collagenase, hyaluronidase)
 - **endotoxines** (LPS of bacterial wall,)
 - **exotoxines** (leukotoxin – AAC)
- ability to **invade tissues** (AAC, PG, TF)



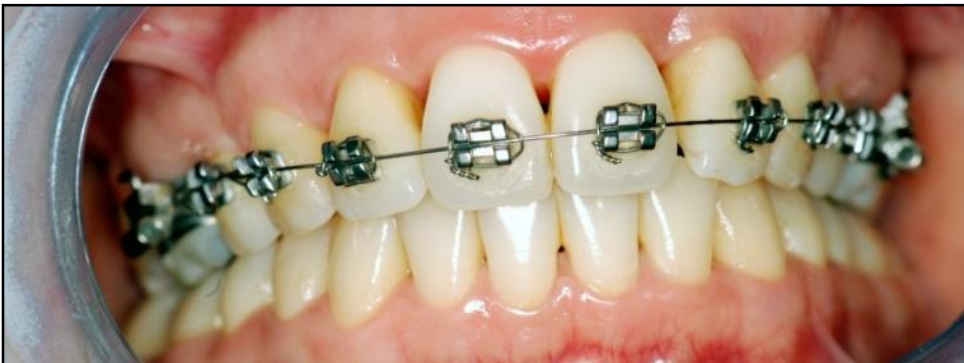
Pathogenicity of plaque – soft tissue

- Indirect effect
 - bacterial chemotaxins, antigens
 - host inflammatory response to antigens of dental microbial plaque
 - regulation of production of proinflammatory mediators (IL -1,6, TNF, PGE)



Plaque Retention factors

- Dental calculus (plaque carrier)
- Faulty restorations
 - overhanging fillings, non-fitting crowns, contact point !
- Orthodontic anomalies - crowded teeth, rotation, inclination
- Third molars (if not compl. erupted)
- Orthodontic appliances
- Partial Dentures



All these factors impair hygienic conditions

- Anatomical deviations of mucous membranes
 - lip frenula - shallow vestibulum,
 - gingival recessions
- Mouth breathing, Tobacco use



Describe the status of these fillings a-d

Which tooth has a filling that can irritate periodontal tissue?

a/



b/



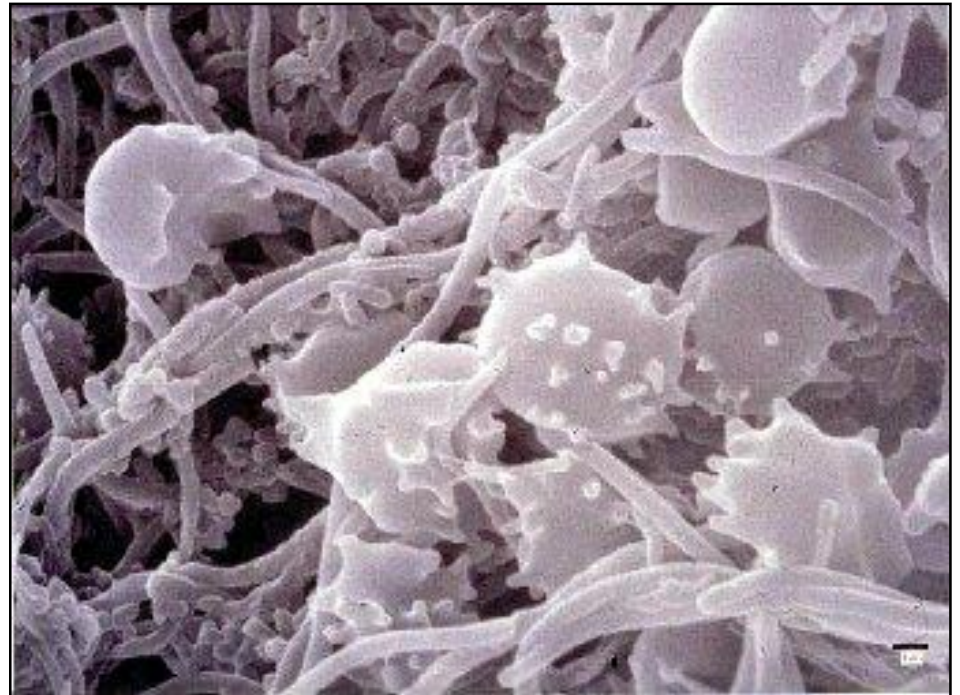
c/

d/



DENTAL microbial PLAQUE

- Composition and formation rate depends on
 - quality of OH
 - quality of saliva
 - food, smoking
 - immunity



DENTAL microbial PLAQUE

- coronar, fissural, gingival

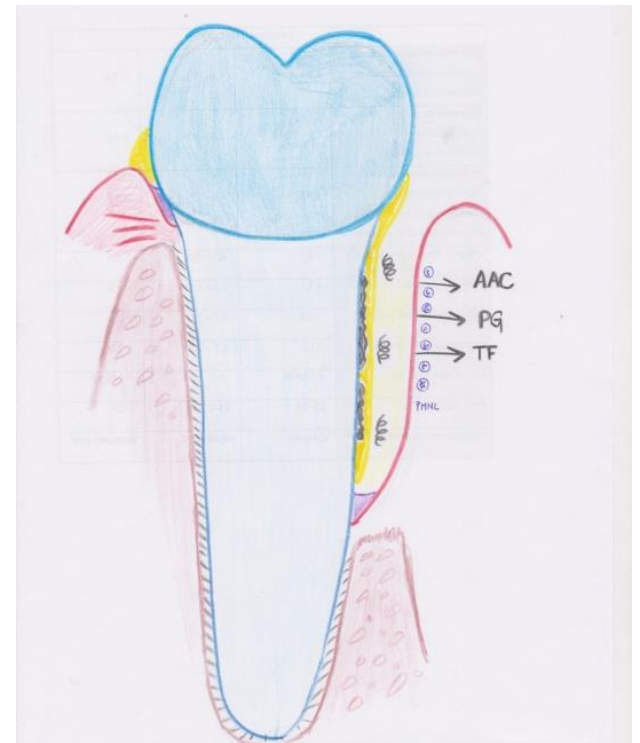


- **supragingival plaque**
- in gingival region

- **subgingival plaque**

a - sulcus gingivalis of healthy periodontium

b - periodontal pocket



DENTAL microbial PLAQUE

Supragingival plaque

- caries
- dental calculus
- increase amount of bacterias in oral cavity



Subgingival plaque

- adherent plaque (root surface)
- non adherent plaque (swimming)
- zone of plaque near gingival epithelium

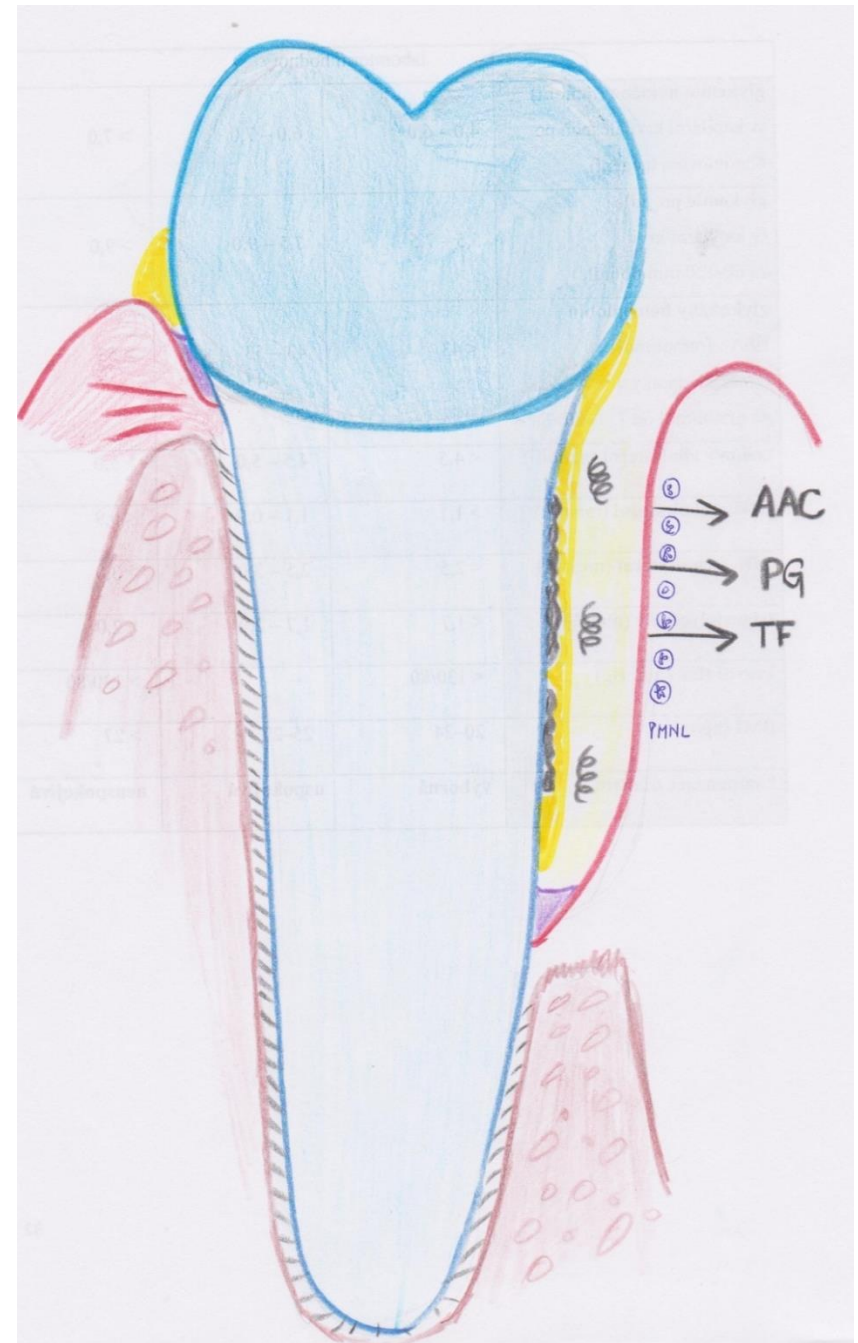
- **Subgingival plaque (sulcus × pocket)**

Adherent plaque (enamel, root surface)

- composition resembles the supragingival plaque (G+ and G-cocci, Actinomyces sp., rods and filaments)
- can become mineralized

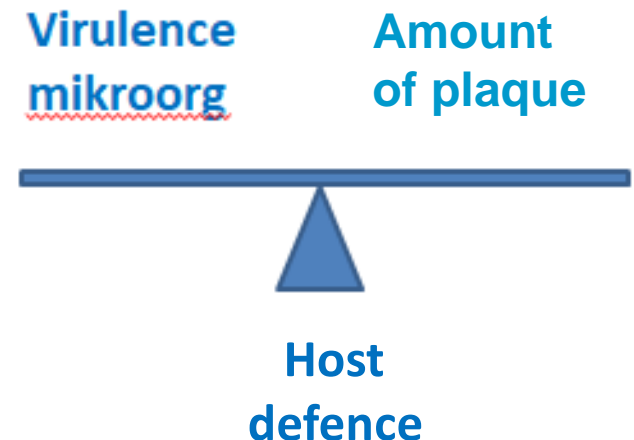
Non adherent plaque - freely moving

- G - anaerobs (motile and nonmotile rods), larger number of spirochets,
- no intermicrobial matrix,
- important role in the progression of periodontitis,
- bacterial invasion (AAC, PG, TF)



- Nonspecific plaque hypothesis
 - plaque is regarded as a bacterial mass
 - proliferating mixed infection
- Specific plaque hypothesis
 - specific virulent bacteria in plaque cause periodontitis

- Amount of the plaque
- Virulence of the plaque
- Host defence



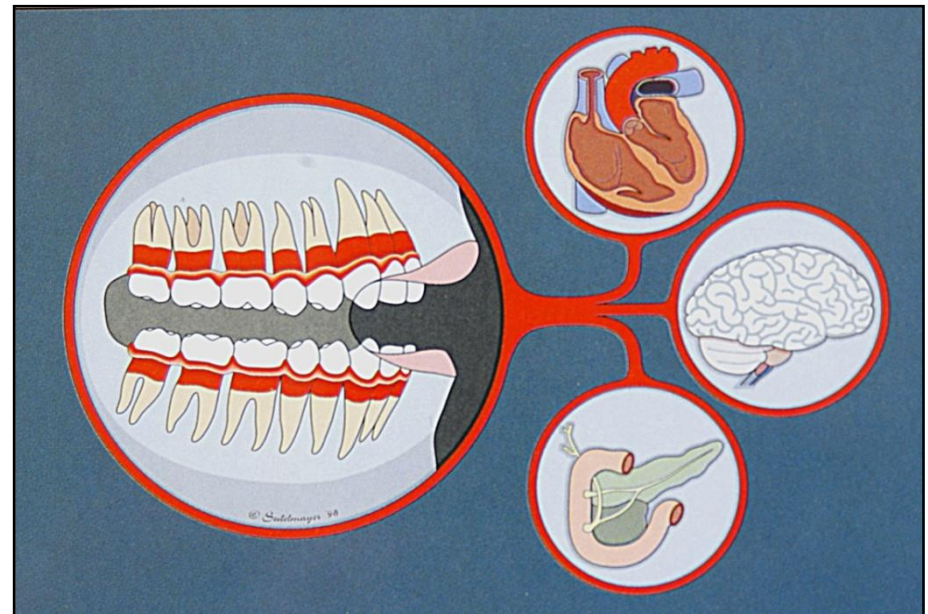
Host defence reaction

- Acute non-specific host response
 - first and rapid reaction
 - PMN Leukocytes
- Specific immunity reaction
 - recognition of foreign antigen
 - specific immunity reaction against this antigen
 - lymphocytes (T,B)

Dental biofilm and systemic diseases

- Bacteriemia
- Inflammatory mediators

95% of atheromas had bacterial D.N.A from periodontal pathogens



Calculus - calcified dental plaque

- Calculus is formed by the deposition of calcium and phosphate salts **in bacterial plaque**
- salts are present in saliva, in crevicular fluid



Calculus - calcified dental plaque

- calculus is **always covered by** an unmineralized layer of bacterial **plaque**
- good place for plaque accumulation
- reservoir and retention web for bacteria and endotoxins



Differences

- **Supra - gingival calculus**



- **Sub - gingival calculus**



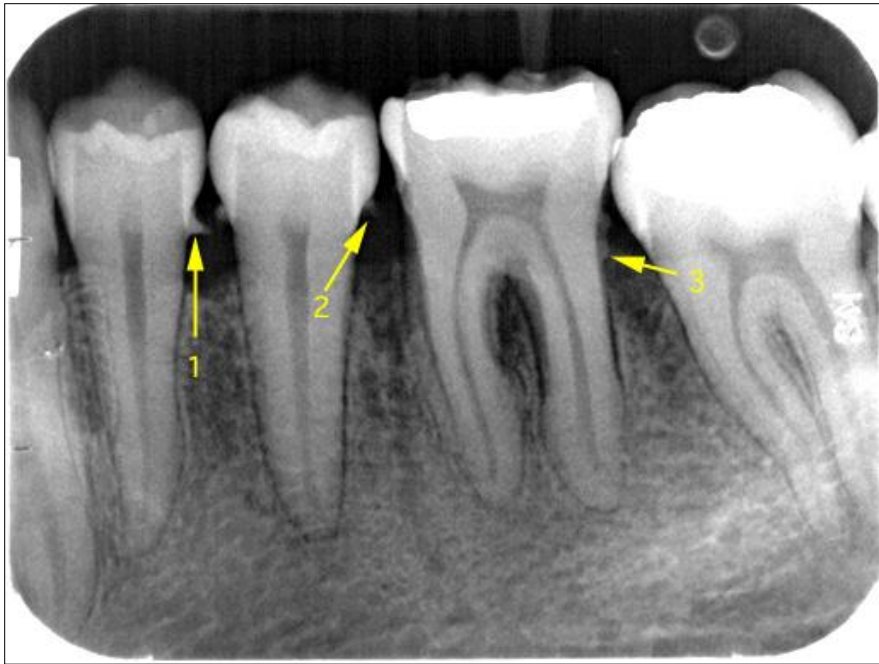
- location
- the origin of minerals
- color
- diagnosis
- removing

- Supragingival calculus



- **Subgingival calculus**

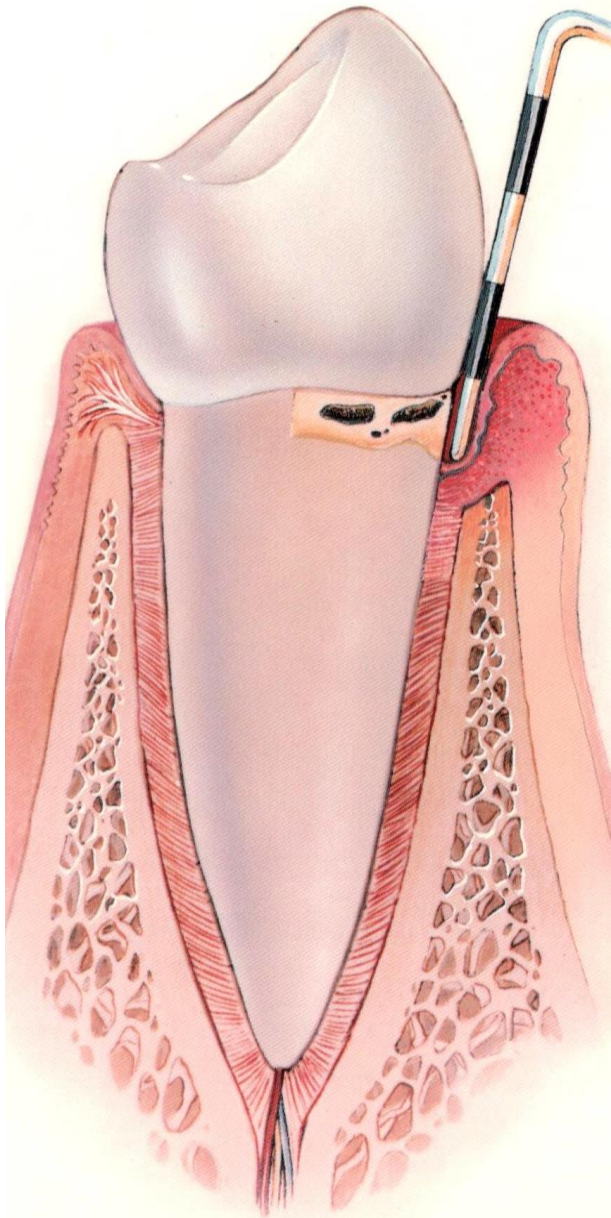
- on the root surfaces below the gingival margin
- can extend deep into periodontal pockets



Gingivitis

- gingival bleeding
 - redness to livid colour
 - swelling (false pockets)
 - gingiva turgor loss
 - tenderness or pain
-
- no bone resorption !!!
 - reversible

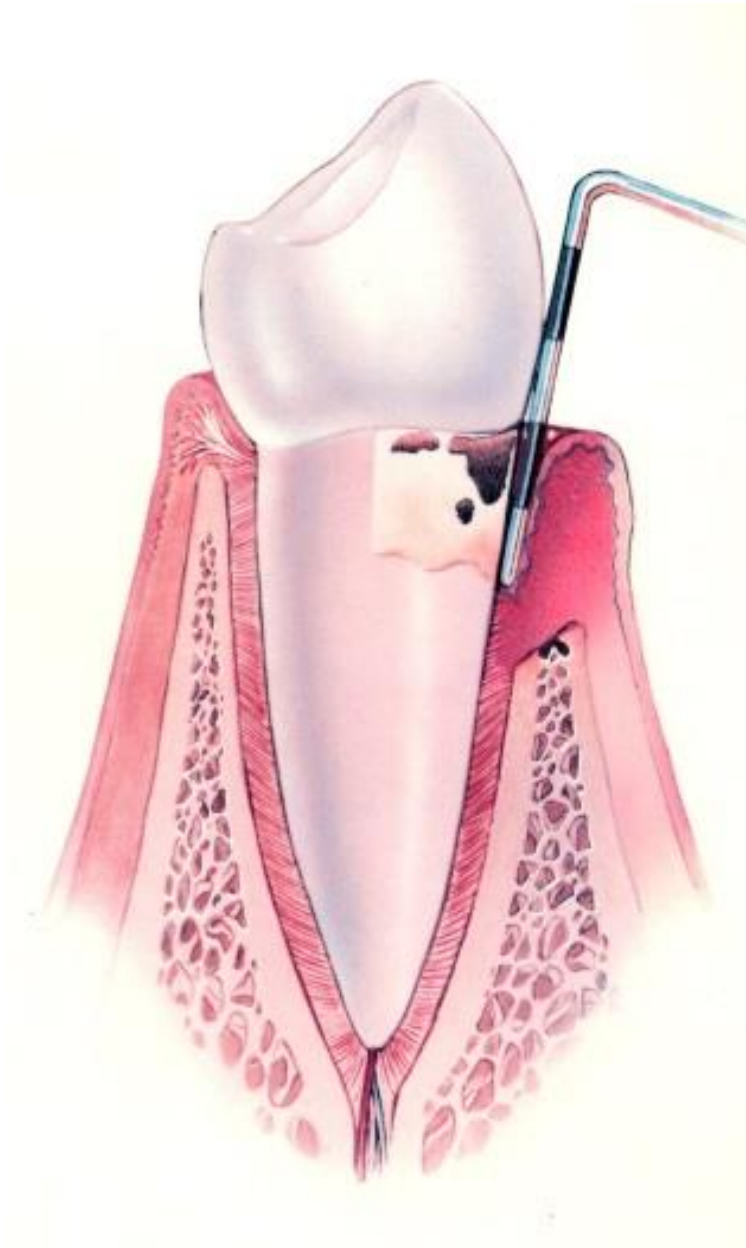


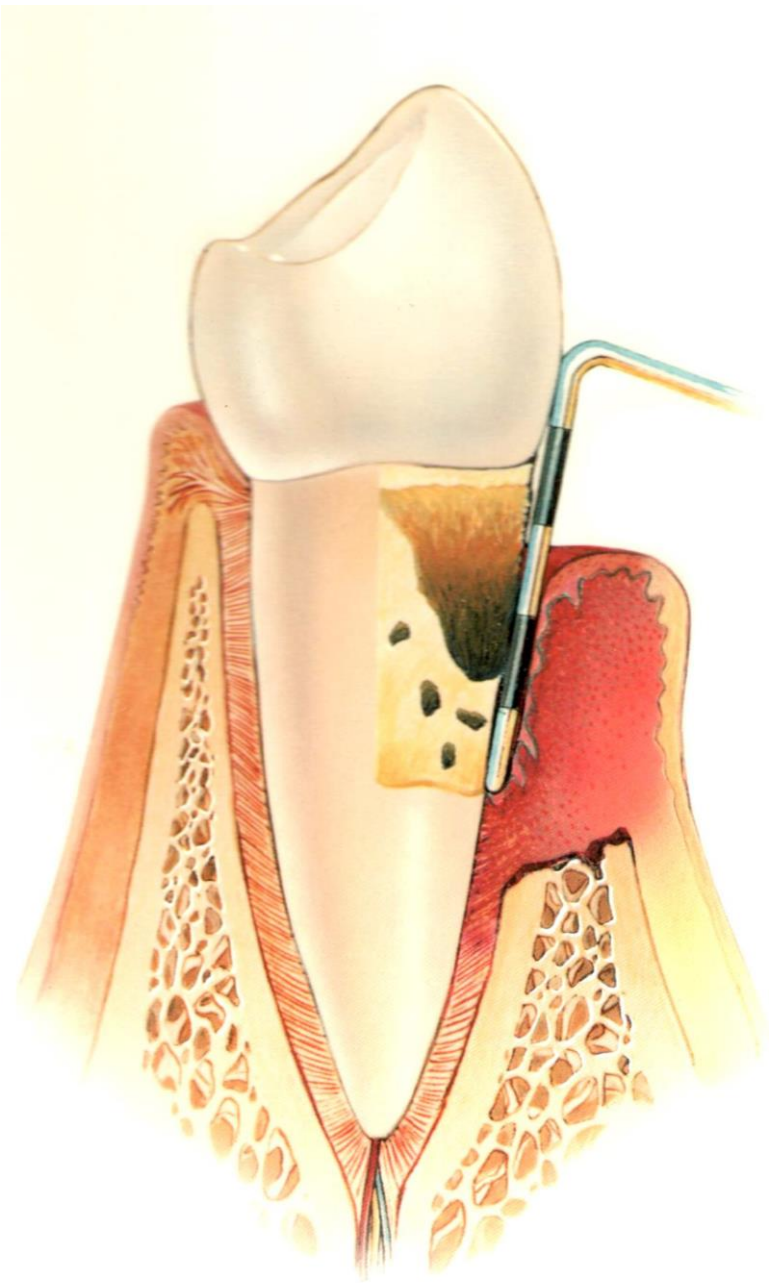


Incipient periodontitis

- Clinical symptoms are mild
 - bleeding from gingiva after irritating
 - oedema
 - redness
 - probing up to 6 mm
- Mild bone resorption

Intermediate periodontitis





Advanced periodontitis

- deep periodontal pockets over 6 mm
- periodontal abscess
- mobility of teeth
- teeth tend to shift
- tooth loss
- bad breath

Advanced bone resorption



4a - what is the most likely diagnosis of this periodontal disease

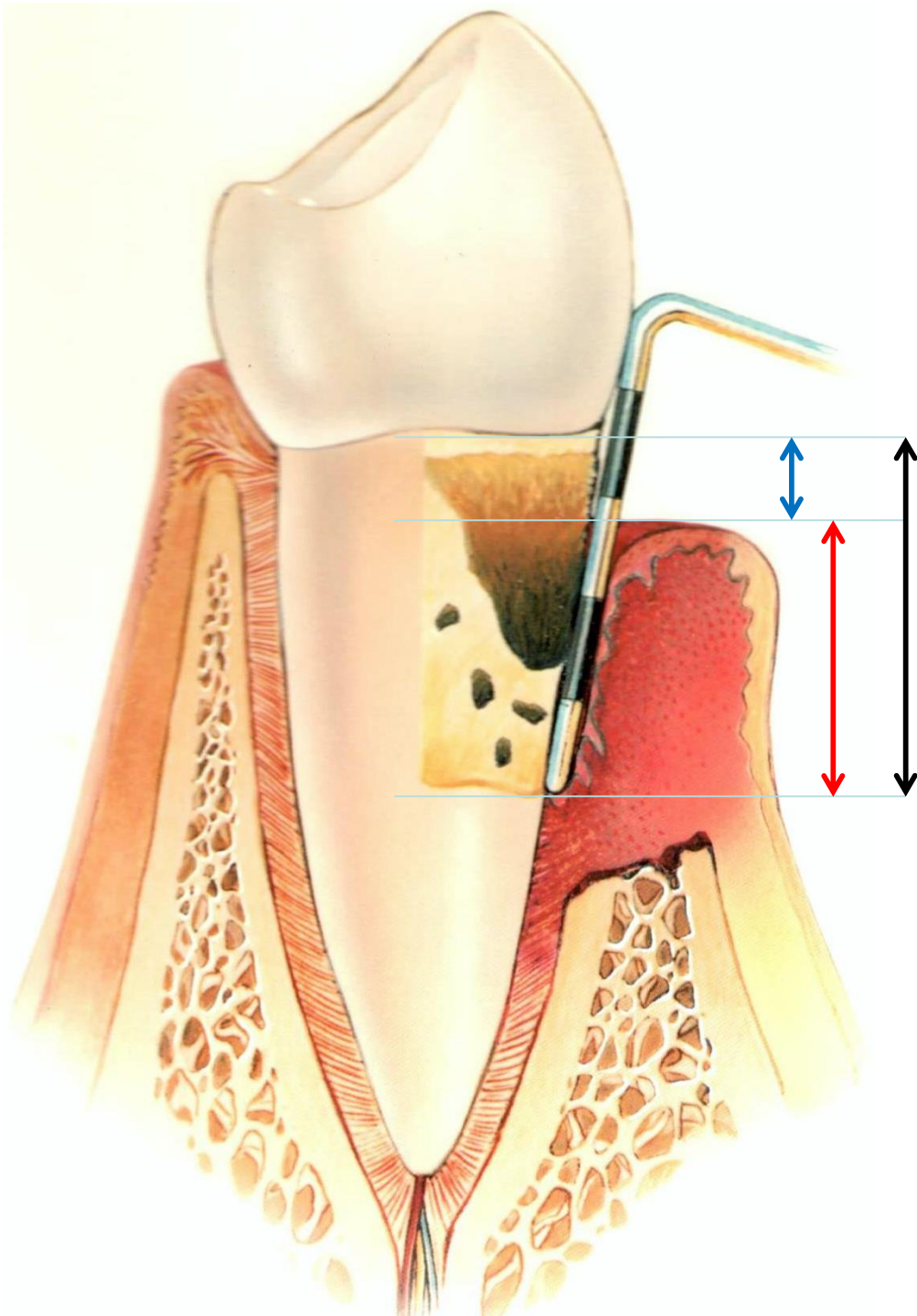
4b - typical clinical symptoms for this diagnosis

4c - is the disease reversible or irreversible?

4d - what PBI value can we expect?

4e - what CPITN value can we expect (what values are possible and what are not)

4f - what is the basic treatment?



Name the distances given by the arrows:

5a - blue arrow

5b - red arrow

5c - black arrow

Professional hygienic care

1/ Before we start with PHC

- Patient history (diseases, medication, allergies, smoking)
- Clinical examination + x-ray
- DIAGNOSIS

2/ Professional hygienic care

- Motivation
- Education – Information (picture atlas)
- OH instruction
(with model, in oral cavity; control)



Education - Motivation

- explanation of microbial etiology
- explanation of the symptoms
- demonstration of bleeding gingiva (PBI)
- demonstration of plaque (API)



Oral hygiene instruction

- Toothbrush
- Single toothbrush
- Dental floss
- Interdental cleaners
- Toothpaste (fluorid, antimicrobial agents, anticalculus agents)
- Oral irrigators
- Mouth rinses

How to do it?

- Fones method
- Charters method
- Stillmann method
- Bass method
- Single toothbrush
- Interdental hygiene



**IMPORTANCE of
ATTACHED GINGIVA !!!**

Consequences of improper toothbrushing

- Horizontal toothbrushing
 - Hard bristles
 - Toothbrushing too frequently
- abrasion of the tooth structure
- gingival recession
(root exposure, hypersensitivity)

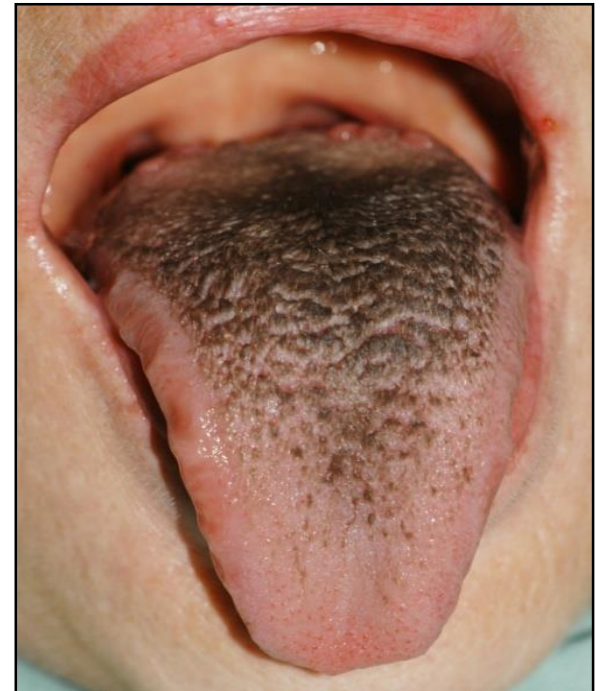
Be careful:
floss, size of ID toothbrush,
electric toothbrush



Chlorhexidinum

- against bacterias, viruses, fungals
- 0,05% - 0,1% - **0,2%** in mouthwashes; gels (up to 1%)
2 times a day (once per 12 hours)
- side effects - dysgeusia, dark coloration of dorsum of the tongue, teeth and fillings, epithelial desquamation

- **Adjunct during initial therapy**
- Desinfection of oral cavity before dental treatment
- In handicapped patients
- Periodontal surgery



Professional hygienic care

3/ Professional hygienic care

- Elimination of plaque retentive areas – (removal of iatrogenic irritants - overhangs..., reduction of naturally occurring plaque retentive areas)
- Plaque and calculus removing
 - supragingival calculus removal (scaling)
 - scaling and root planing (in case of periodontitis)



Polishing

RDA - the degree of abrasiveness

- 0 - 70 RDA low abrasive
- 70 -100 RDA medium abrasive
- 100-150 RDA highly abrasive



The image shows three white plastic bottles of AIR-FLOW prophylaxis powder arranged on top of an EMS AIR-FLOW S2 ultrasonic scaler unit. The bottles are labeled 'AIR-FLOW CLASSIC', 'AIR-FLOW SUBGINGIVAL PERIO', and 'AIR-FLOW SOFT'. The unit has a control panel with the EMS logo and several knobs. Two ultrasonic handpieces are visible, one on the left and one on the right. The background is a teal-colored wall.

Fine abrasive materials for polishing

Professional treatment of periodontitis

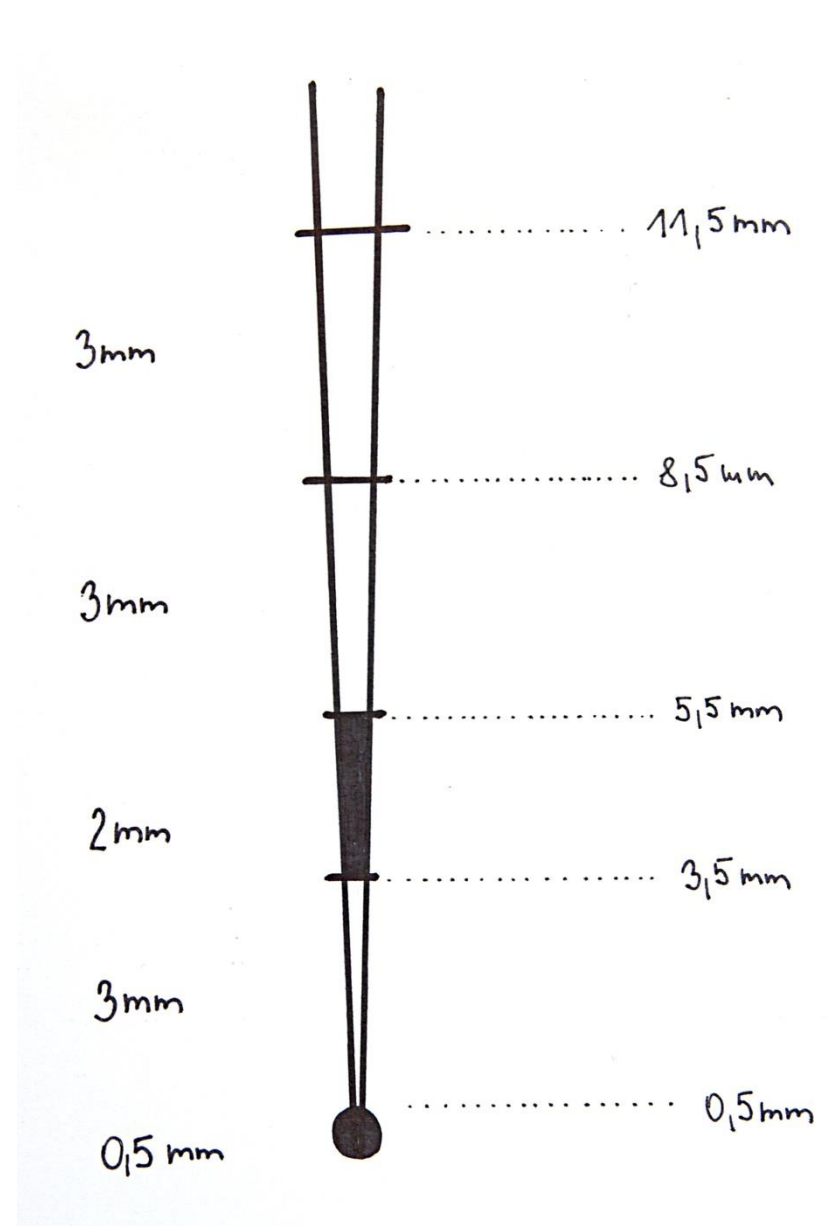
- **Scaling and root planing (SRP)**
 - plaque, subgingival calculus, necrotic cementum removal
 - Gracey c.
- **Closed curettage**
 - SRP + gingival wall of the sulcus removal
 - universal c.
- **Perio surgery** - if necessary
- maintenance treatment

Periodontal instrumentarium

- **Periodontal probes** – to locate, measure and mark pockets
- **Explorers** – to locate calculus deposits and caries
- **Instruments for scaling and root planing** (closely curettage)

Periodontal probes and explorers





Instruments for scaling and root planing

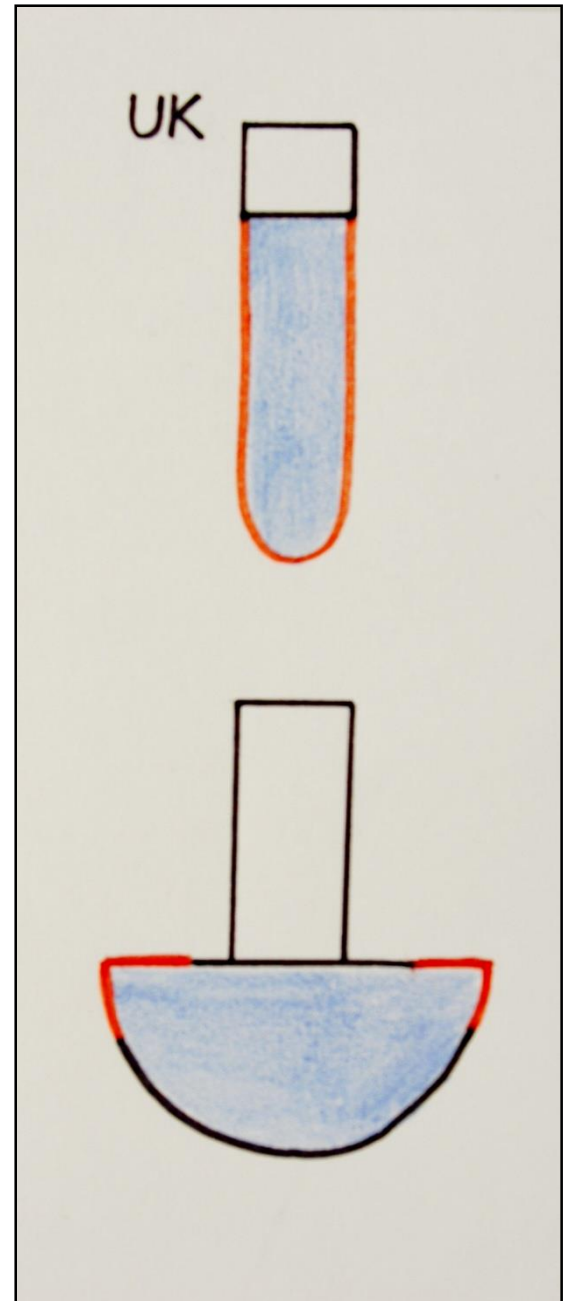
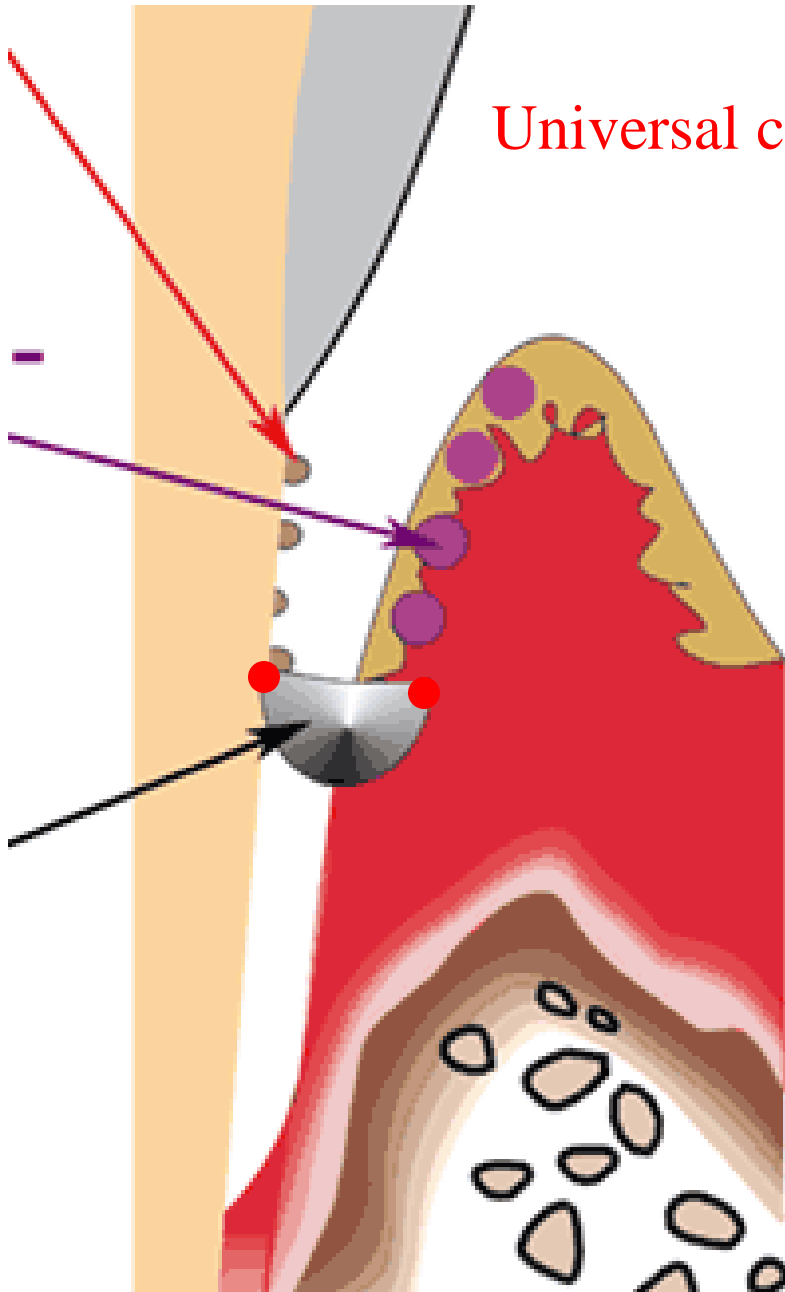
- **Supragingival** scaling instruments - **Scalers**
- **Subgingival** scaling and root planing instruments - **Curettes** (universal, Gracey)
- Ultrasonic and sonic instruments
- Cleansing and polishing instruments

Supragingival scalers (sickle scalers)

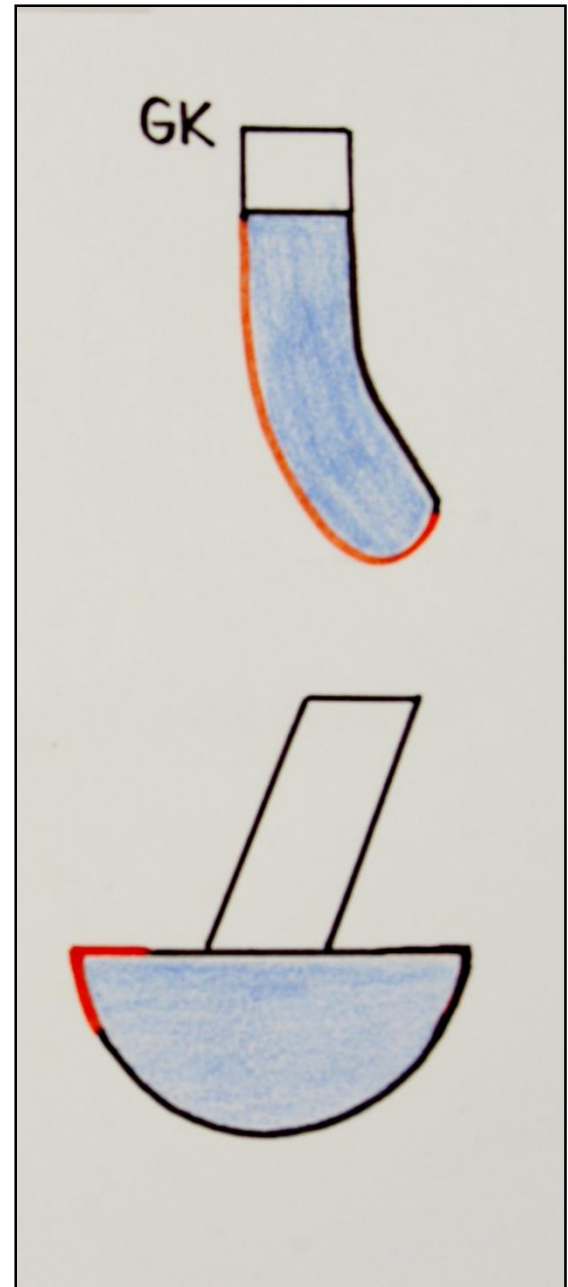
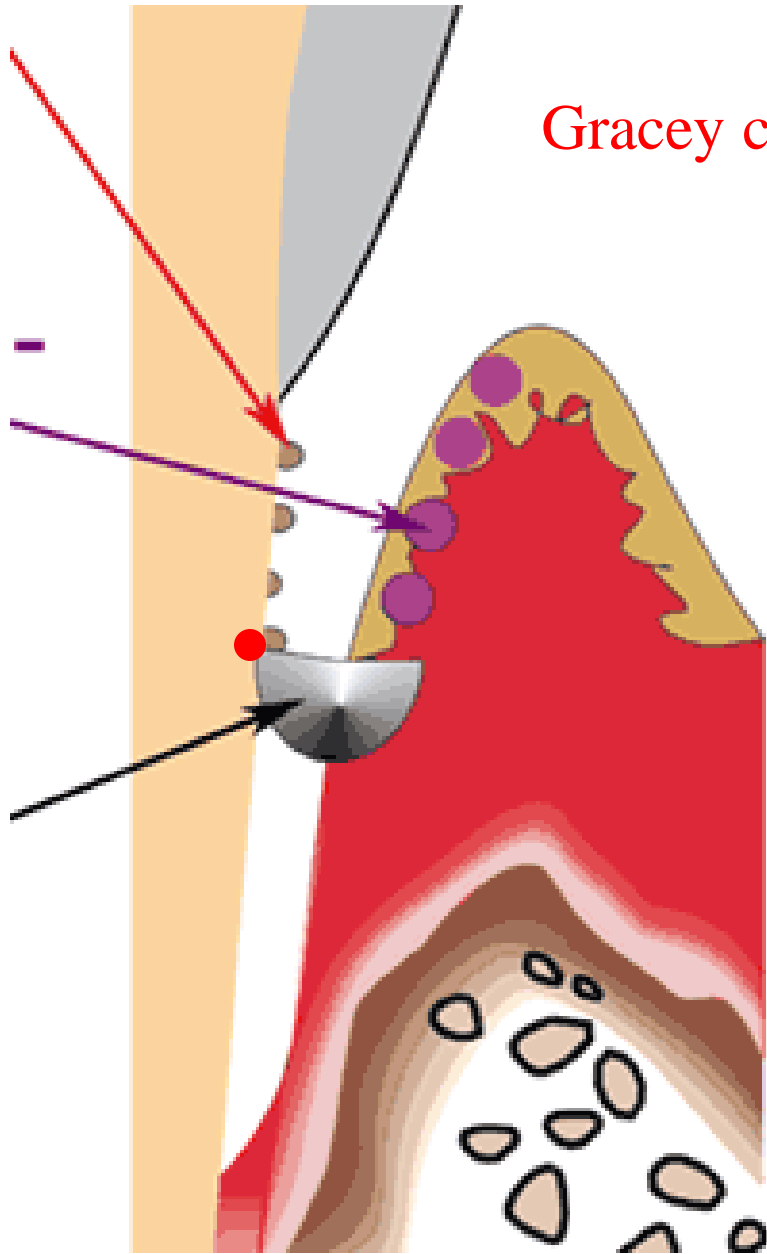


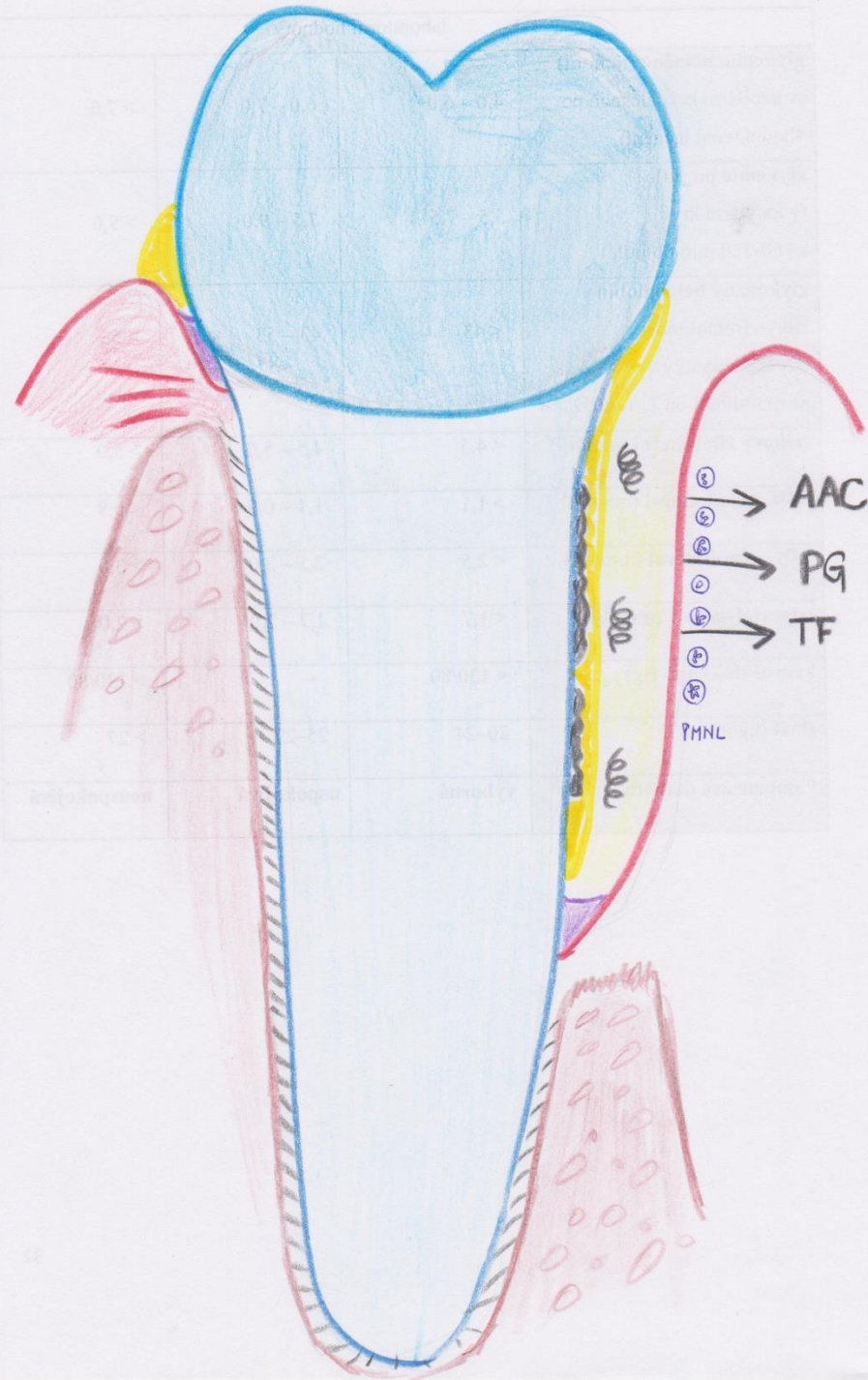


Universal currettes



Gracey cures



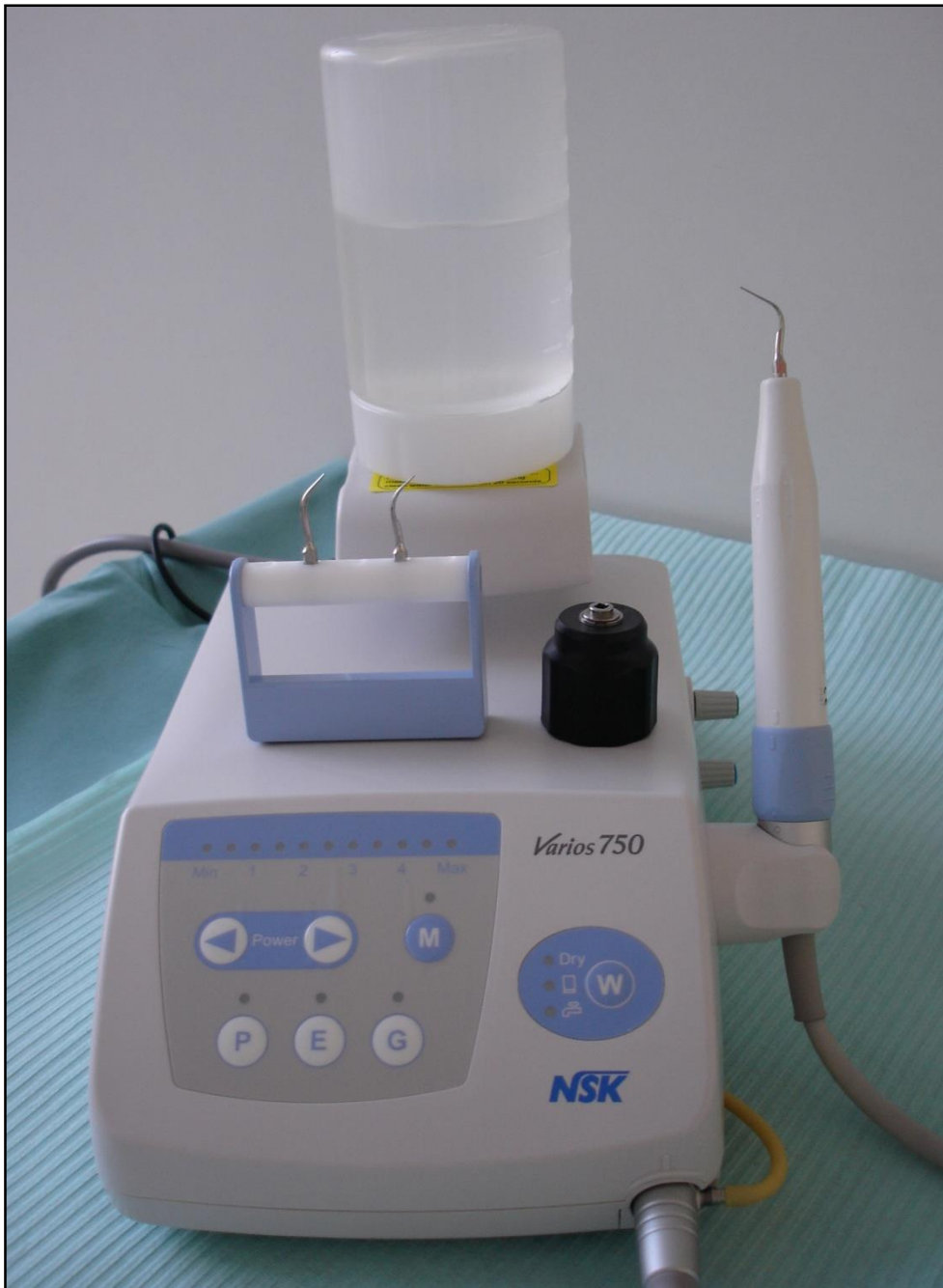


Electronically powered devices

- Ultrasonic and sonic instruments

developed with the goal:

- making calculus removal easier and faster
- with less patient discomfort



- **Parallel** position
- **No pressure**
- With **permanent movement**
- Active part only 2 -3 mm
- Requires **permanent water cooling**
- Infectious spray



Comparison of S+U devices and hand instruments

- Several mechanisms of action
- One mechanism (can remove only what it touches)
- The pocket is washing out
- Some debris remains in pocket
- Less time – more time
- Light lateral pressure, relaxed grasp
- More pressure, hold fast
- No sharpening required
- Infectious spray
- No at patients with cardiostimulator

Indexes in periodontology

- CPITN
- PBI
- API
- BOP

CPITN

CPITN 0,1,2

- probing depth can be 0.5/1/2/3 mm
- no pocket

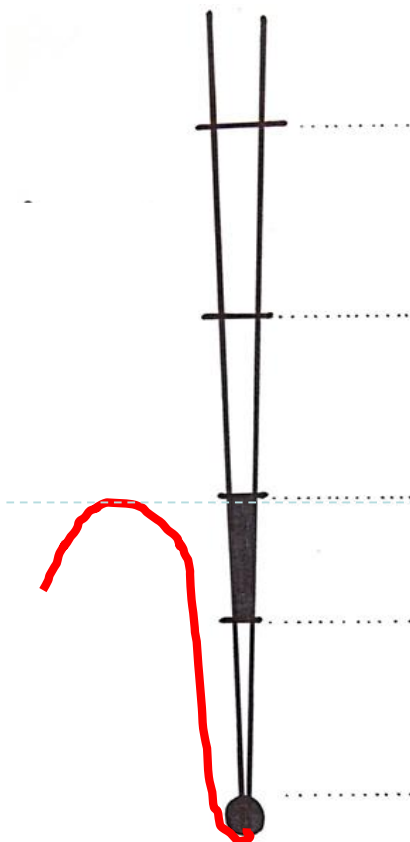
CPITN 3

- probing depth can be 4/5 mm
- shallow pocket

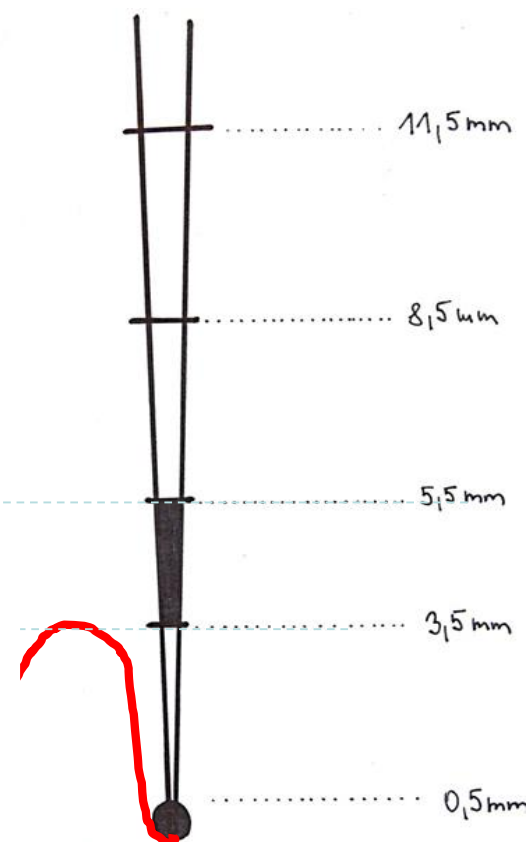
CPITN 4

- probing depth can be 6/7/8.....mm
- deep pocket

Probing depth 5,5 mm
CPITN 4



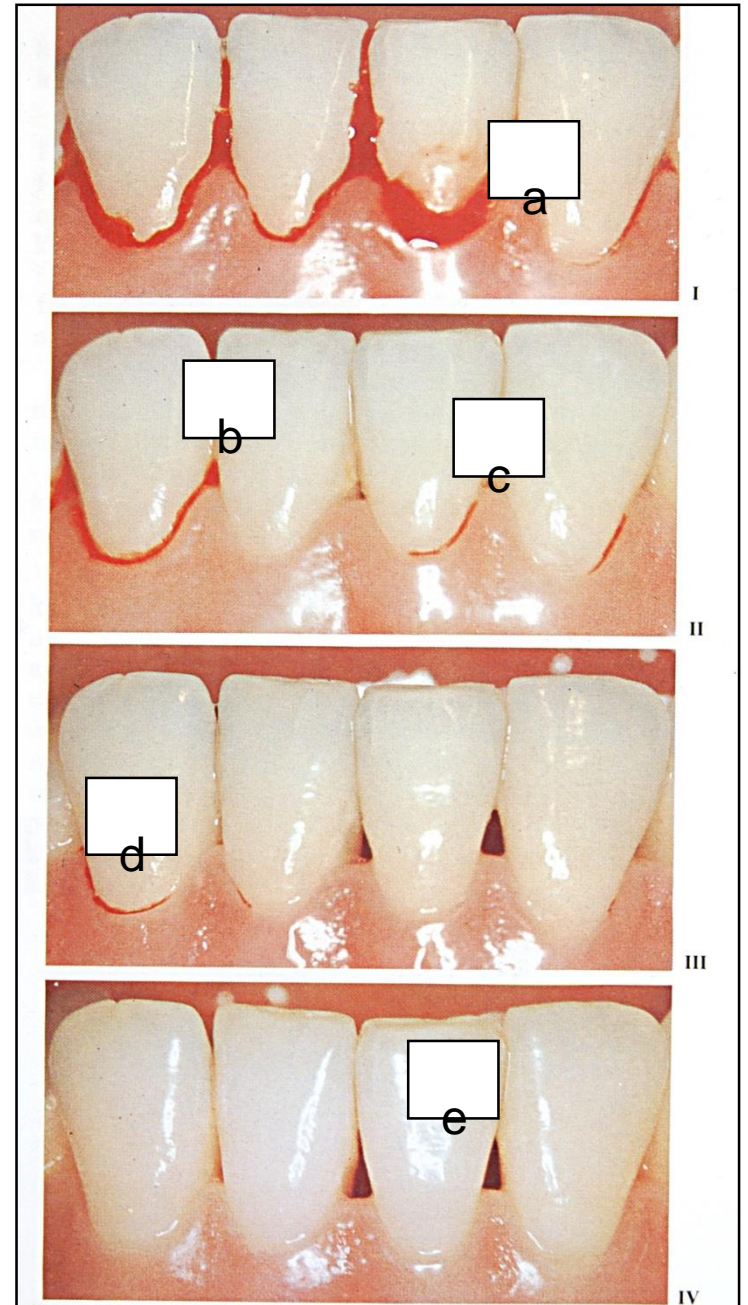
Probing depth 3,5 mm
CPITN 3



	Bleeding	Calculus	Pocket probing depth (in mm)	CPITN
1	-	-	3	0
2	-	-	3,5	3
3	-	+	3	2
4	-	+	3,5	3
5	+	+	3	2
6	+	+	3,5	3
7	-	-	4	3
8	+	+	4	3
9	+	-	5,5	4
10	-	+	5,5	4
11	-	-	8	4
12	+	+	8	4

Assign the correct PBI values to each site

What is the BOP value of tooth 33?



Is it possible to find these values as the result of the examination of one patient? Yes-no answer

PBI 4 a CPITN 000/000

PBI 0 a CPITN 434/434

PBI 0 a BOP+

API 82% a HYG 28%

In which typical cases the PBI is lower than expected?

- Dental plaque
- Formation and development of dental plaque
- Characteristics of the dental plaque as to localization
- Pathogenity of the dental plaque
- Products of dental plaque microorganisms
- Dental calculus – formation and types of dental calculus
- Dental plaque and periodontal diseases
- Dental plaque and dental caries
- Methods of tooth cleaning
- Frequency and duration of tooth cleaning
- Education of the patient – basic hygienic program
- Professional hygienic care
- Removing of dental plaque and pigmentations of exogenous origin
- Removing of dental calculus
- Removing of the iatrogenic factors
- Monitoring of oral hygiene and periodontal status with indices
- PBI index – Papilla Bleeding Index
- CPITN – Community Periodontal Index of Treatment Needs